THE WEATHER.

Fair Thursday; Friday increasing cloudiness; light, variable winds.

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STRIKE SETTLED MEN WILL RETURN

Agreement Between Atlantic Coast Line and Car Repairers is Reached.

CONFERENCE HERE YESTERDAY

Men to Work "Time" on Difficult Jobs Pending Final Adjustment of Scale For All Piece Work —The Terms.

Following a conference here yesterday, lasting the greater part of the day, between Mr. R. E. Smith, general superintendent of motive power of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company; Mr. E. M. Doughty, of Charleston, S. C., chairman of the grievance committees of the car workers of the Coast Line system; Mr. R. L. Knox, representing the car workers at Rocky Mount; and Mr. W. H. Best, representing the car workers in this city, it was announced at 5 o'clock in the afternoon that the disagreement over which the car workers walked out some days ago had been settled and that the men would go back to work this morning.

In coming to the agreement the company made one concession to the men by suspending the schedule under which the car workers are required to repair caboose cars by piece work and establishing a time system under which the work will be done until a satisfactory schedule can be drawn up by a committee of foremen and car workers. The foremen will be appointed by the company and the car workers will appoint their men. The committee will meet in the near future and draw up a working schedule that will be satisfactory to both the men and the company. In the meantime the men have until Monday morning to go back to work, under the conditions of the agreement reached yesterday, and it is expected that practically all of them will go back, in fact most of them are expected to begin work again this morning.

Mr. Doughty, as chairman of the car workers grievance committee, came to this city in response to a message from the road officials, Monday morning, following the walkout Saturday. He was in conference that day with Mr. Smith, the superintendent of motive power, and left Monday evening for Rocky Mount, to inform the strikers of the result of his conference. He remained in Rocky Mount until Tuesday night when he came back to this city accompanied by Mr. Knox, representing the Rocky Mount car workers. With Mr. Best, representing the Wilmington car workers they met Mr. Smith yesterday morning at 10 o'clock and discussed the schedule under which the men were forced to repair caboose cars by piece work, which was their grievance and because of which the men walked out. Failing to come to an agreement in the morning, they adjourned for dinner and met again at 4 o'clock, when after an hour's discussion an understanding was reached.

Both the strikers and the company are satisfied with the conditions under which the men will go back to work, and all feel highly gratified that the strike was settled so amicably and so soon. While the men were well financed and could have held out in the event of a prolonged strike they will be glad to go to work again under the new conditions. The company is of course, delighted with the settlement, for aside from inconvenience caused by the walk out, it removes the possibility of a general strike of the blacksmiths, machinists, yardmen and employes in other branches of the service, who might have gone out in sympathy for the car workers in the event that a settlement had not been reached.

Mr. Doughty, the chairman of the grievance committee, stated to a Star representative yesterday afternoon that the understanding was satisfactory and that practically all the men would probably go back to work this morning. Questioned as to the number of men affected by the walk out he stated that there were up to yesterday 326 out at Rocky Mount, probably 50 at Florence, S. C., and 16 at Wilmington. Mr. Doughty declared that the only grievance of the car workers was over the piece work schedule in regard to repairing caboose cars, and that no other point was discussed at the different conferences which were held pending the settlement. The new schedule will be drawn up as soon as possible, he said, but added that it might take some time before satisfactory committees could be appointed to do the work. In the meantime he is confident that the men will be satisfied to continue work under the temporary arrangement, which provides that they be paid by the hour for their work on the caboose cars.

The early settlement of the differences will be very gratifiying to the public and the business interests along the A. C. L. system, for while the strike of the car workers could hardly have had any material effect on business, the results could have been different had the walk-out extended to the other branches of the service. The conduct of the men while out was very creditable to them and not the

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NO SOLUTION OF THE MURDER

Coroner's Jury at Hendersonville Returns Verdict That Myrtle Hawkins Came to Her Death at Hands Unknown.

Hendersonville, N. C., Sept. 20.—After having been in daily session for the past week in an apparently futile attempt to unravel the mystery surrounding the death of Miss Myrtle Hawkins, whose body was found floating in Lake Osceola, near here, on Sunday, September 10th, the coroner's jury this morning reurned a cerdict as follows:

"We, the jury in the case of the death of Myrtle Hawkins, find from the testimony introduced that she came to her death at the hands of some unknown person or persons, in a manner and by means unknown to us."

Notwithstanding the finding of the jury it is announced on reliabile authority tonight that the authorities do not intend to let the matter drop but will quickly pursue investigations in the hope of solving the mystery.

The family of the dead girl will offer a reward of $500 in addition to the $250 offered by Governor Kitchin for the arrest of Miss Hawkins' slayer or slayers. It is stated that the evidence so far gathered and that which might be obtained in the future will be laid before the grand jury which meets next month.

Coroner Kirk is authority for the statement that the investigation will be continued. The verdict was returned this morning after a conference of an hour. The verdict was no surprise to those who have followed the case.

The officials are entirely bewildered at Detective Bradford announces that the case is one of the most mysterious and baffling he has ever come in contact with. Mr. Hawkins is considering offering a $500 reward, the county commissioners $250, the citizens of this community $1,000 to be added to the announced offer of the State of North Carolina, of $250 to make a sum of $2,0000.

POSTMASTERS' CONVENTION.

Number of Interesting Addresses and Outings Enjoyed Yesterday.

Asheville, N. C., Sept. 20.—Members attending the convention of the North Carolina Postmasters' Association, spent the day in business sessions and outlinings. Morning, afternoon and evening sessions were held, the feature of the day being an address by Hon. J. J. Britt. After the afternoon session, the visitors were tendered an auto ride to the top of Sunset Mountain. They go to Hendersonville tomorrow and will hold the final sessions there. The convention met at 10 o'clock and there followed three valuable addresses. J. P. Spence, Charlotte, spoke of "Organization of Postoffice Force," giving many helpful suggestions gained from experience. He was followed by inspector Bulla, who discussed "Postal Savings System from the Standpoint of the Tax payer" and this was generally discussed. The session ended with an address "Sunday closing and Closing and Compensatory Time," made by Mr. Wallace, of Wilmington. At the afternoon session a telegram was read from Mrs. Longstreet, postmastress at Gainesville, Ga., widow of General Longstreet, offering salutions. There were also addresses by Mr. Rollins, of Asheville, on Rural Delivery Service and by Mr. Flowers, of Mt. Tabor, on the needs of the third-cless postoffice and an address by Inspector Bulla. The night session met at 9 o'clock.

The Postmasters were addressed by Third Assistant Postmaster General Britt on "Reform of Postal Laws" and Secretary Fisher, of the United States Civil Service Commission, on "Objects of Mint Systems," Mr. Britt said the department is trying to make receipts and expenditures balance and thought the reports for this year will show a balance. He declared the department should be self-sustaining. He spoke of countries where higher rates are charged for second class matter than in the United States.

NO COLORED TEA.

Secretary MacVeagh Makes Ruling on Importations.

Washington, Sept. 20.—Secretary McVeagh has ended the Treasury Department's controversy with the merchants who claimed the right to import artificially colored teas by issuing an order to all customs collectors flatly forbidding them to pass any tea which shows traces of artificial color.

When the customs service began enforcing the tea regulations a few months ago, it unexpectedly was confronted with embarrassments.

The law provided for the appointment of a tea board which picked from the open market samples of teas. These were sent to the customs houses, for standard samples. They were supposed to contain no coloring matter. A chemical examination developed that the samples sent to Boston, San Francisco and Chicago were colored. Those sent to New York and Seattle were found to be pure.

Recently Secretary MacVeagh held up 50,000 pounds of colored tea at San Francisco and the importers urged that inasmuch as the samples contained color and the tea conformed to the samples it complied with the law.

Secretary MacVeagh has ruled that the seandard prescribed was without color and that if some of the samples were colored without the knowledge of the government that would be no excuse for importing colored tea.

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HUMAN PUZZLE AT NILES, MICH.

Identity of George A. Kimmel Mystifies Everybody.

WAS BELIEVED TO BE DEAD

May Be Ghost or Imposter—Own Mother Does Not Recognize Him —Other Relatives Do—Town Stirred by Controversy.

Niles, Mich., Sept. 20.—Nile's strange controversy over the identity of George A. Kimmel, who represented himself to be a man long supposed to be dead, was further complicated today.

While scores of persons positively identified him as the son for whose supposed death thirteen years ago, Mrs. Estella Kimmel received $4,000 in life insurance, an equal number were as positive that it was not the son. Then Mrs. Kimmel, 70 years old, who had asserted that the man is impersonating her son merely to deceive her of the money she had already received and to prevent the payment of $25,000 more in insurance, scrutinized the man who claims her as mother.

Brought face to face with the woman the "Kimmel" just released from a five year term in the Auburn, N. Y., penitentiary, stretched out his arms and said pleadingly: "Mother don't you know your boy? Don't disown me any longer. You know I am your son."

Mrs. Kimmel, withdrawing from the man as he attempted to embrace her, stood sternly scanning his face.

"No," she said, "I don't see in you any positive resemblance to my son."

The meeting took place at the home of Mrs. Harry L. Fox, who already had accepted "Kimmel" as a cousin and positively identified him as the son of Mrs. Kimmel. It was made known that Mrs. Kimmel has no direct interest in any money which the insurance companies refuse to pay on the ground that the son is still living, but that a $20,000 policy is held by a daughter, Mrs. Edna Kimmel Bonslett, and another $5,000 policy is held by a distant relative.

"I would have no selfish motive in denying the identity of my son if he were alive," said Mrs. Kimmel. For years I have felt sure he was dead, and I cannot believe that this man is he. It seems that some motherly instinct ought to tell me the truth, yet when I look at him I do not recognize him. He only puzzles me. It nas almost prostrated me to look upon this strange man and have people insist that he is my son. If I were sure he was my son God knows I would be glad to take him in my arms. Mrs. Kimmel will have another talk with the man tomorrow.

"Kimmel" on looking at the woman said he was positive she was his mother.

"I wanted to take her in my arms", he said, "for she looked the same as years ago. I love her with all my heart and cannot understand why she should insist that I am dead. Still I will not worry her and if she continues to disbelieve me it shall be as she wishes. But I know I am Kimmel for I recognize every one."

To test his acquaintance with Niles, "Kimmel" was escorted about the streets. He repeatedly pointed out the landmarks and releated former incidents which the town's people said were correct. Nodding to people he called them by their full names. but many of them professed not o recognize him, as the real Kimmel.

"Now to prove I am familiar with the town," said Kimmel, "I will tell you that behind that hill there is a big red brick house on the south side of which is a large elm tree from which we used to swing when boys."

Every one declared the statement was correct. Meantime, scores of people who went to the Fox home to identify Kimmel came away with conflicting opinions. Some of the persons given for opposing the belief that it was Mrs. Kimmel's son were:

Henry Dean, druggist—Because he remembers that Kimmel when young had brown eyes, whereas the present claimant has light gray eyes.

Dr. E. M. Bonine—Because he performed an operation on Kimmel's eye which left a scar that could not have been eradicated, whereas the new "Kimmel" has no such scar.

George Franers, chief of police of Niles—Because he knew the real Kimmel from boyhood up to the time of his disappearance and this man has no physical resemblance to the former; is positive he is not the man.

Among those who claim the man is "Kimmel" are Joseph Wilson, janitor of the Niles First National Bank—Because "Kimmel" on firs. seeing him shouted 'Hello, Joe.' He recognized "Kimmel" as a former employe of the bank.

Dr. J. F. Brown—Because he found on the left wrist of the new comer tatooed the initials "G. A. K."

Joseph Hatcher—Because "Kimmel" recalled vividly the drowning of a boy in a lake near Niles fourteen years ago.

Samuel Quimby—Because "Kimmel" could tell him in detail of what happened at a lodge meeting more than 15 years ago.

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WAR SHIP RAMS BIG STEAMER

Great Rent Torn in Liner Olympic by British Ship Hawke—War Vessel Badly Damaged—None Were Hurt.

Southampton, England, Sept. 20.—The great steamship Olympic, of the White Star Line, which left Southampton shortly before noon today, with a large crowd of returning American tourists, lies tonight off Calshot Castle, at the entrance to Southampton harbor, with a gaping hole in her side as the result of a collision with the British protected cruiser Hawke. Fortunately no lives were lost, and of the 2,000 or more passengers and crews of the vessels not one was even injured. There also was no panic.

The accident occurred a few miles from the spot where the American liner St. Paul and the British cruiser Gladiator collided nearly four years ago, and, as in the previous case, the warship came off second best, so far as can be ascertained tonight. The extent of the damage to the liner, however, cannot be decided until she is docked and an examination is made of the rent which the cruiser's ram cut in her side.

The Olympic left her dock promptly at 11:25 o'clock this morning, steaming at a moderate speed eastward on her way to Cherbourg to pick up the continental passengers. She already had on board nearly 1,700 persons, excluding the crew. The first cabin passengers were just answering the call to lunch when attention was attracted to the Hawke which was undergoing steam trials.

The warship moving at great speed followed the liner, but apparently was quite clear of her.

Suddenly she swerved in and before the passengers could realize what was happening struck the liner on the starboard quarter near the stern, tearing through a section about 40 feet in extent. The miracle is that the Olympic was not sunk, as the Hawke is fitted with a ram specially designed to sink a vessel in spite of its watertight compartments. The liner's frame stood the shock well and the water-tight doors, which automatically closed, held the compartment hermetically sealed.

The Olympic listed slightly to starboard but not to a sufficient angle to cause any serious alarm, and the officers quickly reassured the passengers. The rent in the Olympic was of such a size, however, that the passengers on a smaller steamer passing at the time could see right into the interior of the vessel.

So far as can be learned the Hawke suffered more severely. Curiously enough, 12 feet of her upper deck was latticed out of all recognition. The stem appears to be completely gone. The plating was ripped open, exposing the forwater torpedo tube, and the fore compartment filled with water. Both ships' crews acted with coolness. The engines of both ships were stopped immediately as soon as the watertight doors were secured, the engines were set astern and the vessels drew apart.

The Hawke sent wireless messages for tugs and remained alongside the liner until they arrived to convoy her to Southampton harbor, where she dropped anchor to await the turn of the tide to enable her to proceed to her dock. The cruiser proceeded to portsmouth under her own steam.

The White Star Company despatched tenders for the passengers desiring to land, but only 70 took advantage of this.

Many theories are advanced as to the cause of the collision, but generally the warship is blamed.

It is suggested that the cruiser's steering gear failed to act. The naval officers and the officers of the Olympic are withholding comment until the inquiry, which the admiralty will institute immeditely, is held.

OUTLINES.

President Taft spent yesterday at Marquette, Mich., where he spoke on the peace treaties with Great Britain and France, the feature of his hecipt ion being denunciation of his critics by Senator Townsend and Congressman Young—Niles, Michigan, is mystified over the identity of Geo. A. Kimmel, whose own mother had mourned as dead and now refuses to recognize, while other relatives are positive he is her son—The "Brother" of the Shaker colony in Florida has been held without bond, charged with the wilful murder of Sister Marchant, who was chloformed to relive her of her suffering—At Lawrenceburg, Ky., yesterday, Speaker Champ Clark was joyously received to the land of his birth and addressed a great throng on the triumph of Democracy—Following a verdict by the coroner's jury that Myrtle Hawkins, victim of the Osceola Lake tradgey, came to her death at the hands of unindentified person or persons, it is said that the case will be further investigated and the facts laid before the grand jury of the county in which the crime was committed. —Six people were found murdered in adjoining houses at Colorado Springs yesterday, their heads having been battered by an axe by some unknown fiend—The reciprocity election will be held in Canada today.

New York markets; Money on call steady 2 to 2 1-2 per cent., ruling rate and closing bid 2 1-8, offered at 2 1-4. Spot cotton closed quiet, 25 points lower, middling uplands 11.20, middling gulf 11.45. Flour was firmly held with a fair business done. Wheat spot steady, No. 2 red 97 1-4 elevator domestic basis and 98 3-4 f.o.b. afloat. Corn firm, No. 2, 75 elevator domestic basis to arrive and 74 1-2 f.o.b. afloat export grade. Oats firm, standard white 49. Rosin and turpentine steady.

TAFT'S CRITICS ARE DENOUNCED

President Finds Defenders in Senator and Congressman.

STILL TARRYING IN MICHIGAN

President Will Today Defend His Veto of Measures for Relief of Consumers—Insurgents Denounced as Spurious.

Marquette, Mich., Sept. 20.—President Taft, the first President of the United State to set foot on the shores of Lake Superior, ended his two days' visit to the upper peninsula of Michigan today, and tonight is re-tracing his line of travel from the north. He is due in Grand Rapids early tomorrow morning and while there will deliver one of the most important speeches of the trip—a defense of the veto and of the woolen, free list and cotton tariff bills.

The President plainly was pleased with the warmth of his reception here. The atmosphere was surcharged with politics throughout the day, but Mr. Taft steered clear of the subject. His principal address was an appeal for public interest in and support of the general arbitration treaties with Great Britain and France. Mr. Taft listened, however, to a good old-fashioned Republican campaign speech from Representative Young, in which the Congressman took occasion to make a few pointed remarks about different brands of Progressiveness, Senator Townsend, of Michigan, who accompanied the President, denounced Mr. Taft's critics as belonging generally to a class of "selfish politicians."

It was in introducing President Taft to an immense throng in a three-ring circus tent that Representative Young made his political address. He referred to Mr. Taft as having taken office at a time when constructive work was needed and not a tearing down. "He has been wisely, prudently and consistently progressive," said Mr. Young "He is the greatest living representative of genuine constructive progressiveness. On the other hand, there is a spurious progressiveness at which cynics laugh and angels weep."

Mr. Young praised the President for his veto of the statehood bills, because of the judiciary recall, declaring that it was an act of courage and wisdom equal to Grant's veto of the inflation bill, and that it placed Mr. Taft in the very first rank of American statesmen and patriots.

Then the Congressman again denounced Mr. Taft's critics. He referred to the "muck raking magazines that sell slander and vituperation at ten cents a copy," and to a class of "slippery disloyal politicians." The President, he said, was opposed by every demagogue and every "shifty politician." This fact, he declared, caused the President to be loved, "for the enemies he has made."

"But the great American people are sound at the core," he concluded, "and while the shifty, slippery politicians and the demagogues may distrust the judgment of the people for a time, they will see right at last and President Taft will stand in the glory of the noon-day as the leading American statesman of his time, and historians will point with pride to the two terms of William Howard Taft as President of the United States."

When Mr. Taft arose to respond, a man in the rear of the tent called out, "You're all right."

"I am glad to be assured," laughed the President.

Mr. Taft did not follow Mr. Young's lead. He said he was somewhat embarrassed by the situation, that he had intended to tell Mr. Young's constituents what a good Congressman he was, but was afraid to do so lest some one charge that there had been a conspiracy of flattering exchange in advance. The President then launched into an explanation of the arbitration treaties. Senator Townsend listened intently to the President's address and when he spoke later, pledged his support to the ratification of the pacts.

Mr. Taft said that one of his important missions on the present trip was to make the peace treaties more generally understood. He believes that while a majority of the foreign relations committee is against the treaties, a majority of the Senate proper is not. He is very well satisfied with the fruits of his early missionary work and with the interest his hearers have displayed in the subject of peace.

Senator Townsend praised the President for the work of his administration and declared that Mr. Taft was a statesman, not a politician.

President Taft also referred while here to the pending Nicaraguan and Honduran treaties and urged their ratification by the Senate. The United States, he said, has a certain guardianship over the republics of Central America, which it must not shirk.

Toulon, France, Sept. 20.—Six members of the crew of the French armored cruiser Gloire are dead tonight as the result of the bursting of a gun on the cruiser during target practice at sea today. One gunner was killed instantly and 13 were injured, five of whom died tonight.

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CAMPAIGN IN CANADA ENDED

Most Exciting Within the Memory of the Present Generation—Both Sides Claiming Victory Today—Features.

St. John, N. B., Sept. 20.—The concluding rallies were held tonight, and aside from the last political broadsides from the party newspaper organs in the morning the campaign in Canada may be said to be over. The campaign has been the most exciting within the memory of the present generation.

Both sides claimed tonight to be confident of the result tomorrow. The indications tonight pointed to fine weather and a tremendous vote.

It is possible for a political party in Canada to elect a majority of members of the House of Commons and yet be in a minority so far as the popular vote is concerned.

It is expected that many of the cities will vote heavily for the conservative candidates tomorrow while the country districts in some provinces will largely support reciprocity. Should neither party have a large working majority in the House of Commons, another general election would be possible, although should the conservatives be elected it is said it would be impossible to get the proposed reciprocity agreement before parliament, as it would have to be introduced by the government side. Should Mr. Borden win, it is said reciprocity would become a dead issue for the time being.

Another contingency is the possibility of the conservative party blocking the pact again in the House of Commons, should that part gain a majority of the popular and yet lose the commons. Should the opposition party again adopt a policy of obstruction the leaders would claim they were warranted in doing so by the popular vote.

The liberal party leaders, however, do not look for such a situation and claim to be confident that reciprocity with the United States will become a law before the year ends.

Prospects on Eve of Election.

Montreal, Sept. 20.—This election eve, when a great question mark lies across the Canadian map from the Atlantic to the Pacific, finds the Dominion more interested in itself and the whole world more interested in it than ever before. Tomorrow will answer questions vitally affecting the country, and of nearly as deep concern to the United States—shall the Laurier regime continue, and shall Canada, by giving the government party of the last 15 years continuance of power, put into effect the reciprocity agreement already ratified by the Republic across the border.

On this "night before," the leaders of both sides are expressing extreme confidence. The government papers tonight assert that the Liberals will win by 50 majority, thus increasing their strength for the 12th Parliament's House of Commons by seven seats. The opposition papers claim an equal majority for the party of Leader Borden, and point with unequivocal certainty to the government's defeat and its realization that defeat is impending.

The Montreal Star, which has conducted an especially aggressive anti-reciprocity campaign, prints in large type tonight the statement "Government Defeated." Newspapers on both sides support their claims by detailed statements telegraphed by the party organizers in the capitals of each of the ten provinces.

Observers of the situation say they expect the government to be returned with a reduced majority. This forecast ranges from 10 to 35, though few are willing to concede so high a figure as the latter. There are some who count upon the government being returned with an unworkable majority. In such an event, it is probable that no attempt would be made to secure ratification of the reciprocity agreement before another election is held.

It is generally conceded that the Province of Quebec holds the key to the situation. During the 15 years that Sir Wilfrid Laurier has been in power this province always has returned a majority sufficient to offset the adverse voting in other provinces.

In the present election, however, a coalition has existed in Quebec between the Conservatives and the third party, known as the Nationalists, as a result of which there is a contest for every seat.

The Nationalist party in Quebec has paid but little attention to reciprocity. It has conducted its campaign upon opposition to the government's naval programme and its record in general. It has been led by Henri Boraussa, a former Liberal member of Parliament, who is not at this time a candidate. Upon the result of the election in Quebec probably hangs the fate of Laurier's political future.

Extreme Nationalists are claiming that their party, together with the straight conservatives, will elect 50 members from Quebec at tomorrow's elections. If they do this, it is generally conceded that the government will be defeated. The Liberals have conducted a strenuous campaign throughout the province. They say they are awaiting the result with confidence, and that the old province will roll up the customary majority for its favorite son, Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The premier himself has declared himself thoroughly confident of winning, while R. L. Borden, the Conservative leader, says the prospects never looked brighter for a return of the Conservatives to power.

What makes a forecast of the result difficult is the fact that a great many Liberals have openly deserted their party on the reciprocity issue. They have done this, not because they

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SIX MURDERED AS THEY SLEPT

Victims Were Butchered With Axe by Unknown Fiend.

HEADS HORRIBLY BATTERED

Those Slain Were One Man, Two Women and Three Children—Every Person in Adjoining Houses Killed.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Sept. 20.—Butchered in their beds by some person as yet unknown, who used an axe, the bodies of six persons, three in each of two neighboring houses, were found here today. The heads of all the victims had been smashed in and the appearance of the bodies indicated that they had been dead several days and that death came while they slept.

A report says that the murderer has been caught and that he has confessed, but this is denied by the police officials, who, it is intimated, fear a lynching might follow such an announcement. An axe which had been loaned to Mrs. Henry F. Wayne, one of the victims, by J. R. Evans, a neighbor, last week, was found, bloodstained, by Mrs. Evans on Monday near the back door of the Wayne home. No attention was paid to this fact, however, as it was thought the axe had been used in killing chickens.

The dead are Mrs. Alice May Burnham, wife of A. J. Burnham, cook at the Modern Woodmen Sanitarium. Their two children, Alice, aged six, and John, aged three years. Henry F. Wayne, a consumptive, until recently a patient at the Woodmen Sanitarium. Mrs. Wayne and their one-year-old baby girl.

The Burnham house is situated at Dale street and Harrison Place, and the two houses next to it, on Dale street, are vacant. Directly in the rear is the Wayne home and close to it is that of Evans.

The discovery of the bodies was made by a neighbor who called at the Burnham home. Not getting any response, and noticing a strong odor, she forced an entrance. The bodies of Mrs. Burnham and those of her two children were found in their beds, which were covered with blood, and the walls and ceiling were also spattered.

The woman rushed to the street and gave the alarm. Instinctively a dozen persons went to the Wayne house, where there had ben no signs of life since Sunday, and the same terrible scene was presented. In bed were the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne and their baby, all horribly mangled as in the case of the bodies in the Burnham house.

That such a crime had been committed in a thickly settled neighborhood and left unrevealed for three days is regarded as incredible. Not even a foot print is to be found on the floor of either house and no one could be found who had seen anyone about the premises since Sunday when all the murdered persons at different times were in a neighboring grocery.

Burnham, who lives at the sanitarium where he is employed, about ten miles from the city, was arrested soon after the discovery of the crime, but there seems nothing to implicate him in the tragedy. His employers say he was at work when the crime must have been committed. He is a native of Michigan. He was last seen at his home Sunday afternoon and is said to have left there about 5 o'clock.

Little is known of the Wayne family here except that Wayne came to the Modern Woodmen Sanitarium about ten months ago from Indiana as a patient. One month ago his term in the institution was up and he brought his wife and child here and rented the house in which they were murdered.

When brought into the morgue the bodies were almost unrecognizable. The head of every one of the six victims was either cut or smashed open, and in almost every case the number of wounds indicated that the murderer had cut and smashed until he was sure that he had destroyed life.

ENGLAND'S COTTON INDUSTRY.

Plan of Spinners and Employes to Get Together.

London, Sept. 20.—Sydney C. Buxton, president of the Board of Trade, has taken an important step in an effort to assure permanent peace in the cotton trade, Great Britain's greatest industry. He has invited leading representatives of the employers and the employes to form a permanent industrial board on lines advocated by Sir Charles Wright Macara, chairman of the committee of the International Federation of Master Cotton Sprinners and Manufacturers' Associations, during the recent upheavals.

According to the plan, the board would be composed of ten leading employers and ten prominent labor representatives with the newly knighted Sir George Ranken Askwith, comptroller general of the commercial, labor and statistical department of the Board of Trade, as chairman. These men would form a panel from whom an equal number from both sides could be selected to deal with any disputes arising, before work was actually stopped.

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SPORTING NEWS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Pittsburg, 3; Boston, 2.
At Cincinnati, 7; Brooklyn, 5.
Second: Brooklyn, 1; Cincinnati, 12.
At Chicago, 1; Philadelphia, 0.
Second: Philadelphia, 4; Chicago, 0.
At St. Louis, 0; New York, 4.
Second: New York, 7; St. Louis, 4 (called end eighth—darkness).

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	86	46	.652
Chicago	81	55	.596
Pittsburg	81	60	.574
Philadelphia	74	61	.548
St. Louis	71	65	.522
Cincinnati	63	77	.450
Brooklyn	54	80	.403
Boston	34	100	.254

Cincinnati, Sept. 20.—Cincinnati defeated Brooklyn in both games of a double-header today, winning the first 7 to 5, and the second 12 to 1. A batting rally in the sixth inning of the opening game gave Cincinnati barely enough to offset a similar rally by Brooklyn in the following inning. The last game was called at the end of Brooklyn's half of the seventh inning.

Brooklyn .....000 100 400—5 9 3
Cincinnati .....010 005 10x—7 9 1

Dent, Schardt and Erwin; Fromme and Clarke; time 2:18; umpires Bush and Emslie.

Second game:

Brooklyn .....001 000 0— 1 7 4
Cincinnati .....151 401 x—12 9 2

R. Miller, Steele and Bergen; O. Miller, Humphries, McLean, Severoid; time 1:28; umpires O'Day and Emslie.

Chicago, Sept. 20.—Chicago and Philadelphia broke even in a double-header today by scores of 1 to 0 and 4 to 0. Chicago captured the first game, which was a pitcher's battle throughout. Philadelphia took the second by bunching hits in the fourth inning. The game was called after the seventh on account of darkness.

Chicago .....000 000 001—1 5 0
Philadelphia ....000 000 000—0 1 2

Cole and Archer; Moore and Madden; time 1:52; umpires Klem and Brennan.

Second game:

Chicago .....000 000 0—0 4 1
Philadelphia .....000 400 0—4 4 1

Richter, Toney and Archer, Graham; Stack, Chalmers and Carter; time 1:45.

Pittsburg, Sept. 20.—Boston today played the first game of its last series in Pittsburg being beaten 3 to 2 by Pittsburg. Pittsburg got only four hits off Tyler, but managed to bunch them with bases on balls. Hendrix was freely hit, but was effective with men on bases. Both pitchers were given errorless support.

Pittsburg .....000 200 10x—3 4 0
Boston .....100 000 010—2 9 0

Hendrix and Simon; Tyler and Rariden; time 1:57; umpires Johnstone and Eason.

St. Louis, Sept. 20.—New York increased its lead in the National League race today, winning two games from St. Louis, 4 to 0 and 7 to 4. In the first game Marquard gave but four scattered hits. The second game was called at the end of the eighth inning because of darkness.

New York. . . .000 010 012—4 14 0
St. Louis. . . .000 000 000—0 4 3

Marquard and Myers; L. Laulermilk and Bliss. Time 1:58. Umpires Rigler and Finneran.

Second Game—

New York. . . .200 000 23—7 8 1
St. Louis. . . . 000 004 00—4 10 2

Crandall, Mathewson, Wiltse and Myers; Geyer, Woodburn and Wingo. Time 1:50. Umpires Rigler and Finnerfan.

American Association.

At Kansas City-Indianapolis, rain.
At Milwaukee 3; Toledo 10.
At Minneapolis 15; Louisville 7.
At St. Paul 5; Columbus 2.

Eastern League.

At Toronto 9; Montreal 8.
At Newark 1; Providence 7.
At Baltimore 3; Jersey City 0.
At Rochester 7; Buffalo 6.
2nd: Buffalo 1; Rochester 1. (Called end 6th, darkness.)

ATTELL LOST GAME FIGHT.

Featherweight Was to Light For English Lightweight.

Madison Square Garden,, New York, Sept. 20.—Abe Attell the featherweight champion, tried the impossible tonight by conceding about 13 pounds in weight to the English lightweight champion, Matt Wells, at Madison Square Garden.

Wells being equally as clever as the American in every ring move had the call almost from the start and won handily. It was a fast, clean and clever exhibition of boxing with none of the bloody features of the Flynn-Morris contest in the same ring here last week.

Tonight's fight was a handicap match and Attell and is given credit for the game stand he made against his heavier and clever opponent.

CONTRACTORS SUE ROAD.

Baltimore Firm Asks That Norfolk Southern Be Resold.

Nrfolk, Va., Sept. 20.—Notice was given in court today by the McLean Contracting Company, of Baltimore, that it will ask the United States Circuit Court here on September 26th to assume control of the Norfolk Southern Railway properties and re-sell them under a decree of court seventeen months ago. The notice was given in connection with a pending suit against the railway by the Trust Company ofAmerica. The case grew out of the alleged failure of the road to comply with a court order that it pay $29,536 with interest for 15 months for the benefit of the Baltimore concern. The Norfolk Southern is claimed to have tied up the money by paying the principal without the interest.

A Dreadful Sight

to H. J. Barnum, of Freeville, N. Y., was the fever sore that had plagued his life for years in spite of many remedies he tried. At last he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve and wrote: "It has entirely healed with scarcely a scar left." Heals burns, boils, eczema, cuts, bruises, swellings, corns and piles like magic. Only 25c at R. R. Bellamy's.

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Results Yesterday.

At Washington, 3; Chicago, 5.
At Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 2.
At Boston, 3; Detroit, 2.
At New York, 9; Cleveland, 12.
Second: Cleveland, 4; New York, 5.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Athletics	91	45	.669
Detroit	82	55	.599
Cleveland	71	66	.518
New York	72	67	.518
Boston	69	70	.497
Chicago	68	70	.493
Washington	59	79	.431
St. Louis	39	99	.283

New York, Sept. 20.—New York and Cleveland broke even on their double-header today. The visitors wielded their bats more effectively than New York in the first game, a free hitting affair, while Capt. Chase won the second game for his team by hitting a home run into the center field bleachers in the sixth, with two men on bases. Vice President Sherman witnessed both games.

Cleveland .....010 032 015—12 17 3
New York .....210 000 033— 9 13 5

Blanding, Kaler and Easterly; Warhop, Vaughn, Quinn and Blair; time 2:10; umpires Connolly and Westervelt.

Second game:

Cleveland .....010 002 1—4 7 2
New York .....010 004 0—5 5 5

Game called at end seventh account darkness.

Reisig and O'Neil; Caldwell and Williams; time 1:30.

Philadelphia, Sept. 20—Philadelphia won a pitchers' battle from St. Louis today 3 to 2. Plank was very effective until the eighth inning when three hits and an error by McInnis netted St. Louis two runs. The home team won in the ninth. With men on third and second and one out Lapp beat out a grounder down the third base line, and when Allison threw wild to the plate McInnis and Hartsel scored.

St. Louis .....000 000 020—2 5 3
Philadelphia ....000 000 012—3 9 0

Allison and Clarke; Plank and Thomas; time 1:35; umpires Evans and Mullen.

Boston, Sept. 20.—Boston took the second nip and tuck game of the closing series with Detroit today 3 to 2. Pape bested Works in a pitchers' battle. The winning run was scored by Gardner from second on J. Lewis' Texas leaguer.

Boston .....000 110 01x—3 7 3
Detroit .....000 101 000—2 5 2

Pape and Williams; Works and Stanage; time 1:37; umpires O'Loughlin and Eagan.

Washington, Sept. 20.—Washington batted Benz out of the box in the seventh inning today and looked dangerous, but Walsh came to the rescue and retired the locals without hit or run for the remainder of the game, Chicago winning 5 to 3. Hughes was hit very timely four of Chicago's singles scoring runs.

Washington ....000 001 200—3 7 3
Chicago .....010 102 100—5 7 2

Hughes and Street; Benz, Walsh and Sullivan; time 1:50; umpires Deneen and Perrine.

ASYLUM IS OVERCROWDED.

Four Negroes in Jail Here Awaiting Admittance at Goldsboro.

That the State is unable to take care of its colored insane is shown by the fact that there are now four colored persons in the county jail here awaiting such time as room may be had for their admittance to the State Hospital at Goldsboro. Application has been made for each and every one, counting one sent to Goldsboro yesterday, and in the three heard from the same answer was received, "No room." The fourth person is Fred Bennett, colored, who has been at the asylum twice before but was discharged as cured or so much improved he was harmless. Walking along South Front street a few days ago with a shotgun over his shoulders, the negro suddenly came to a stop and levelled the weapon at a lady who was standing on her front porch. Had a lady next door not given the alarm, thereby frightening the negro, there is no telling what would have been the result. Instead of being tried for assault with deadly weapon, for which he was arrested, Bennett was sent over to the Clerk of Superior Court, who held an inquiry yesterday as to his sanity, adjudging him of unsound mind. The quartette may have to remain in the county jail here for some time yet on account of lack of accomodations at Goldsboro.

Fernside Lots! See Advertisement, Page 6. **

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CITY LEAGUE AVERAGES.

Some Comparative Figures On Coast Line Team.

On next Sunday the Star will try to publish a summary of the batting and fielding averages in the City League the past season, at least giving the records of players who have participated in five or more games.

A study of these averages develops the fact that the Atlantic Coast Line team, which will contest on next Saturday with Rocky Mount for the amateur championship of Eastern North Carolina, is representative of the best baseball talent within Wilmington's borders. At the receiving end of the battery work, Starritt stands second in the league in fielding having been passed only by Wessell with a margin of 13 points. For consistent, good work, Green has not been excelled in the box by any of the numerous aspirants for twirling honors.

Charlie Terry, Bob Houston and Charlie Taylor easily led all competitors in their respective positions, and to complete the infield, Emerson stands second on the list of second sackers, being 22 points behind Gore, of the Boys' Brigade. Comparative figures of the outfielders would be harder to deal with as there are so many who have played in but few games that no line could be taken on their work; however, it would be safe to say that the selection of a better trio than Hines, Adkins and Bergen would be difficult.

By the way, the return of Adkins after an absence of several months, will be good news to the fans who know him for a hard, seasoned player and a consistent batter.

With the willow, Charlie Terry easily leads the league and each member of the team has made a record for good work against opposing pitchers. The team on which depends Wilmington's hopes for holding the championship of the eastern part of the State is well balanced, perfectly trained to team work, and prepared to put up a game, offensive and defensive, that should make "hope spring eternal" in fandom's breasts.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Hot and Wearisome Session Yesterday—Mr. J. A. Riggs Fined.

Yesterday's session of the Recorder's court was of a rather lengthy nature and with the oppressive heat in the court room even the most interested spectator soon became bored. In the absence of Recorder Furlong, Substitute Recorder Geo. Harriss presided.

Mr. J. A. Riggs, a merchant of East Wilmington, was tried on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon upon George Mage, colored, a weight having been used, injuring the man to a rather serious extent. It was alleged by Mr. Riggs that Mage made insulting remarks to his wife. A fine of $50 and costs was imposed upon the merchant, and the substitute recorder reserved the right to change the decision. Mage was found guilty of a charge of simple assault and made to pay the costs.

Joseph Myles, colored, was tried on a charge of housebreaking. Probable cause being found, he was sent to jail in default of $250 bond, the lower court not having jurisdiction in a felony case.

A nol pros with leave was taken in the case against Isham Johnson, a negro arrested Tuesday night while acting in a suspicious manner on the wharf, and against whom a charge of attempting to enter a store was lodged. Robert Russ, for resisting an officer, was sentenced to 12 months on the county roads. Judgment was suspended on a charge of drunkenness. Isham Quick, colored, for violating the dray ordinance, was assessed $5 and costs.

Marie Wilson faced a charge of keeping a disorderly house. Judgment was reserved until today.

Judgment will also be pronounced today against Mr. A. D. Wessell, whose case was tried Tuesday. He is charged with violating the sanitary ordinances by allowing rain water and refuse to stand in his yard. Mr. Wessell is defended by Hon. John D. Bellamy, and Prosecuting Attorney Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., is looking after the interests of State.

Wood's Fall Seed Catalogue

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Proposals for the Erection of a State Building at Raleigh.

The North Carolina State Building Commission invites proposals for the erection of a State Building at Raleigh, North Carolina, to be approximately 60x195 feet, 4 stories in height, reinforced concrete construction with exterior of stone, brick and terra cotta.

All proposals must be directed to Mr. Ashley Horne, Chairman State Building Commission, care of State Auditor's Office, Raleigh, N. C., and be delivered not later than one o'clock P. M. on November 1, 1911. Each proposal must be accompanied by certified check in the amount of $5,000 payable to the Chairman of the Commission, check to be forfeited in the event of bidder failing or refusing to enter into contract if same is awarded to him. A copy of the plans and specifications will be sent express collect upon application to P. Thornton Marye, architect, 1405 Candler Building, Atlanta, Ga., and upon payment of eight dollars to cover cost of blue printing, or may be seen at the office of Frank P. Simpson, associated architect, Raleigh, N. C.

ASHLEY HORNE,
Chairman.
W. E. SPRINGER,
se 21-tu-thu-su-4w Secretary.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE OCTORARO MILLS COMPANY.

Whereas, In an action pending in the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of South Carolina, entitled: William H. Chadbourn, Trustee, Etc. Complainant vs. The Octoraro Mills Company, Defendant The undersigned was, on July 11th, 1911, appointed Special Master by His Honor J. C. Pritchard Judge Circuit Court of the United States for the Fourth Circuit, to ascertain and report to the court the names and amounts due the creditors of the Octoraro Mills Company;

Now, therefore, in obedience to and compliance with said order, to which reference is hereby made, I hereby notify all persons, firms, partnerships and corporations, and all other persons whomsoever, claiming an indebtedness of whatever nature or kind against the said The Octoraro Mills Company, of Red Bluff, Marlboro County, in the State of South Carolina, to produce and file a complete statement of their said indebtedness or claim with the undersigned at his office in the City of Asheville, N. C., on or before the 10th day of October, 1911, in compliance with said order.

Dated this July 22nd, 1911.

T. J. HARKINS,
Special Master,
Box 33, Asheville, N. C.

Claims should be filed in itemized verified form and the nature and amount of security, if any, should be stated. Also any special conditions as to security, or priority, relating to any of said claims, should be completely stated and set forth in the claims or papers accompanying same.

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FIRST COTTON STEAMER.

Hermia Clears for Genoa, Italy, With Staple—Another Arrives.

The first cotton steamer from the port of Wilmington this season cleared yesterday for Genoa, Italy, from the compresses of Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son, being two days earlier than last season. The clearance is that of the British steamer Hermia, Capt. Fettes, and she takes to the Italian port 6,467 bales of the staple, valued at $388,000.

With the departure of the Hermia, another steamer arrived yesterday for cotton cargo—the British tramp Dunolly, 2,127 tons, Capt. Comer, from St. Lucia, via Norfolk. She is consigned to Messrs. Sprunt & Son, and will take a berth at the Champion Compress in a few days.

Cotton receipts at this port to date yesterday, Sept. 20th, amounted to 19,099 bales and spot was quoted at 10 3-4 cents; on the same date last year receipts for the season were 8,503 and spot was quoted at 13 1-8. Thus does the cotton situation here this season compare with that of last year, according to the records posted yesterday at the Chamber of Commerce.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Peoples Saving Bank to May H. Cook, for $100 and other considerations, lot on Eighth, 33 feet north of Kidder street, 33x150 feet in size; Emily Bridgers, commissioner, to B. F. King, Jr., trustee, for $665.50, lot on 10th, 66 feet south of Queen street, 66x330 feet in size; E. J. W. Anders and others to Lola Harris, for $10 and other considerations, lot on northeast corner of 14th and Kidder streets, 66x155 feet in size; W. D. Pugh and others to Lola Harris, for $200, lot on 14th, 198 feet south of Marstellar street, 66x150 feet in size; W. D. Holmes and wife to V. Sidbury, for $100, lot on 11th, 33 feet from Chestnut street, 33x132 feet in size; Samuel Bear, Jr., to J. H. Brunjes and wife, for $100, and others considerations, lot on Chestnut, 55 feet west of Seventh street, 55x100 feet in size.

Fernside Lots! See Advertisement, Page 6. **

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We begin the Second Week under Most Favorable Conditions. We have moved, at a Sacrifice, most of the regular stock on the Floor. Pretty nearly every article we begin this week is New, and Samples, at That, purchased at from 25 % to 40 % Below what any living man could buy them, under other circumstances. No such values can be bought elsewhere, regardless of what may be said to the contrary.

Most of these offerings are of a decidedly Higher Grade than is usually carried in Wilmington. We submit only a few prices as indicators of the values running through the Entire Stock.

Solid Mahogany Dressers, large Mirrors, worth $35; at, each **$21.90**

Genuine Birdseye Dressers, worth $30 ..... **$17.90**

Handsome Oak Dressers, large roll, 24x30 Mirror; worth $17.50 ..... **$10.39**

Good Solid Oak Dressers; nice, good Glass; worth $10.00 ..... **$5.48**

Solid Mahogany Chiffonieres, worth $40.00.. **$21.90**

Genuine Birdseye Maple Chiffonieres, worth $35.00; now **$17.90**

Genuine Quartered Oak Chiffonieres, piano polish; worth $25.00 ..... **$14.48**

Good, large Arm Oak Rockers, worth $2.50.. **$1.63**

Large Mission Rockers; worth $4.50 ..... **$2.93**

Large Mission Rockers, genuine Leather Seat; worth $12.50 ..... **$6.48**

Genuine Quartered Oak Rockers, genuine Leather Seat, worth $10.00, at **$6.39**

We do not carry imitation quartered oak, sometimes called American quartered oak, nor have we imitation mahogany.

Good, full-size Iron Bed, worth $3.50..... **$1.89**

Large Iron Bed, Brass Trimmings, worth $12.50, at **$7.98**

Big 2-inch Continuous Post Iron Beds, worth $15.00, at **$7.98**

Good Brass Bed, Best Quality, large posts and fillers, worth $35.00, at **$17.98**
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Good White Bed Spreads, each **75c**

Genuine Leather Suit Cases, linen lined, 24 inches, worth $5.00, at **$2.98**

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VIRGINIANS TO BOOST TRADE

Richmond Merchants to Visit North Carolina Centres—The Pardon Mill—Five New Corporations—Taxes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 20.—The business men of Raleigh are making elaborate preparations for the entertainment of the special train of Richmonders who are coming October 1st on their special visitation to North Carolina commercial centers on their mission of boosting Richmond as a commercial and manufacturing center.

They will be in Raleigh an hour and during that time the bankers, merchants and manufacturers of Raleigh will spare no pains or expense in showering the Virginians with attentions that will include being met at the union station with a brass band, an escort to the big new auditorium, welcome ceremony, and automobile run over the city.

The 19-months-old infant of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Edgerton on East Hargett street, is recovering slowly from the terrible scalds sustained last evening in falling backwards into a large pan of water. The most severe scalds are on its head and back. Only the prompt rescue by the mother, who was close by, saved the child's eyes and possibly its life.

The trial judge having written Governor Kitchin that had he known the facts before the adjournment of the court that he learned immediately afterwards, he would not have sentenced Ellis Lee to three months on the roads for abandonment of his wife, the Governor has granted a pardon conditioned on good behavior and proper provision for his family. Lee is a Rowan county man and his wife says she was induced by relatives to prosecute as she did. Lee has been treated in the State hospital for the insane and still, it is said, suffers from mental weakness.

Charters for five new corporations were granted today. The Fleming Co., Charlotte, capital $125,000 by R. H. Perry, W. D. Rock, A. W. Burch and others for wholesale and retail drug business; The Shaffner-Landquist Co., Winston-Salem, capital $25,000 by H. F. Shaffner, T. E. Landquist and others, for drug business; The Enfield Farmers' Union Warehouse Co., Enfield, capital $25,000 by J. H. Sherrod and others; The A. V. Driver Co., Selma, capital $25,000, by A. V. Driver and others for mercantile business; The Chicora Club (Inc.) Dunn, no capital, for social purposes, J. W. Wilson and others.

The tax officers of Forsyth county before the Corporation Commission today to answer an order of the commission to show cause why there should not be a general raise in the tax assessment in their county on account of affidavits of citizens furnished the Southern Railroad Co., that values had been fixed far below money value. Numbers of prominent citizens also came to testify that assessments are at fair value, the average being $10.50 per acre with especially fine lands running to $50 per acre. There was testimony that the cases of exceedingly low valuations compared with recent sales were abnormal. In one special case a sale of the Shutt place at six times its assessed value was due to a contest between heirs for the possession of the home section of the tract, sentimental considerations dominating rather than money value. The commission will dismiss the case.

SINGERS WANTED.

Best Voices in State At Auditorium Ceremonies in Raleigh.

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 19.

Mr. Editor:—In connection with the ceremonies attending the dedication of the Raleigh Auditorium, which is the most elaborate structure of its character in the South, it is the desire of the Committee of Entertainment to secure the names of the half dozen most celebrated singers in North Carolina, to take part in a concert to be given Wednesday evening, October 18th, in connection with a brilliant programme to be rendered by the finest talent in North Carolina.

We will appreciate it and I am sure that the 5,000 who will fill the Raleigh auditorium on the occasion of this great concert will also appreciate the assistance you give by publishing a request of suggestions from those who know who are the best singers to represent each section of the State. We have reason to believe that this concert will be the most elaborate ever produced by North Carolina talent.

Will you kindly ask that all suggestions be forwarded to the Committee on Entertainment, Chamber of Commerce, Raleigh, N. C.

Very truly yours,
W. H. BAGLEY.

FRATERNITY INITIATES.

Greek Lectures at University Make Their Announcements for Year.

Chapel Hill, N. C., Sept. 20.—The ten academic fraternities which have chapters at the University held their annual initiation Monday night. Many alumni members have been on the Hill during the past few days, in attendance upon the mystic ceremonies. The following undergraduates were initiated:

Into the Phi Delta Theata—Stephen Pember.

—The Beta Theta Pi—Malcolm Oates, John Cansler.

The Sigma Alpha Epsilon —Alec M. Worth. J. W. Hanes, John Whitaker, Geo. Clark, Wylie Long, J. L. Chambers and Junius Smith.

The Zeta Psi—W. P. Whitaker, Jr., Andrew Joyner, Jr., G. V. Strong.

The Sigmu Nu—E. M. Mardin, William Lord, Carl Taylor.

The Pi Kappa Alpha — —Norman Vann, T. T. Covington, Jr., J. S. Pell, W. L. Daniel, H. B. Hannah

The Kappa Sigma — W. B. Townsend, William Young, R. T. Allen, Lee Fentress.

The Kappa Alpha — Cyrus Long. William Thompson.

The Alpha Tau Omega — Frank Drew.

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EDUCATION IN MOUNTAINS.

Superintendents and Principals at Asheville—The Postmasters.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., Sept. 20.—The superintendents of public instruction and the high school principals of the Western District of North Carolina will hold a three days' meeting here at the court house beginning September 27th. It is expected that there will be about 50 teachers and superintendents in attendance. The western educational district of North Carolina is composed of 17 counties west of the Blue Ridge. The programme has not yet been arranged, but the purpose of the meeting is to discuss the methods of teaching and the problems of teachers and superintendents.

The fifth annual session of the North Carolina Postmasters Association is in progress here at the Battery Park Hotel and will continue through today and tomorrow. The people of the city and the Board of Trade have prepared to entertain the members with an automobile drive over the automobile road to the top of Sunset mountain which was recently built by Dr. E. W. Grove, and with a car ride over the lines of the Asheville Electric Company. An interesting programme has been arranged in which a number of subjects pertinent to the work of the postmasters will be discussed.

OPENING OF PEACE.

Additions to Facility and Gratifyingly Large Enrollment This Year.

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 20.—Another session of Peace Institute opens with most gratifying prospects. Only two changes have been made in its faculty, with two additions. Miss Demarest, an A. M. from Columbia University, is in charge of Science, and Miss West, an A. B. from Wellesley, comes to the English department. Miss Wilson, an A. B. graduate from Vassar, is an additional instructor; her work will be in the department of modern languages, Miss Booker, a graduate from the Winthrop College, becomes assistant to the lady principal, thus enabling the latter to take charge of the new department of Domestic Science.

Possibly there is a wider representation of States in the enrollment than has been in recent years, and the increase in local patronage is very satisfactory.

Until a short time ago, scarcely one person in a thousand had ever tasted a really good soda cracker—as it came fresh and crisp from the oven.

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No. 51, * 5:45 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *23:00 A. M.
No. 84, 15:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 65, 16:50 P.M
No. 48, *8:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford. Pullman Parlor Car between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, *8:05 P. M.
No. 55, *3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway (!) Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, * 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, * 3:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 63, *12:50 P. M.
No. 59. ! 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A. M.
No. 42, * 7:30 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, * 9:45 A. M.
No. 57, ! 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate Stations.	No. 58, ! 8:30 A. M.

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WEEK DAYS:

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:30 A. M.	6:05 A. M.
	6:45 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
5:30 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
6:10 P. M.	6:45 P. M.
6:30 P. M.	7:15 P. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
10:00 P. M.	10:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
*5:45 A. M.	7:15 A.M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	5:15 P. M.

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* Freight received at Orange Street Siding, near Front.

SUNDAYS:

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
7:00 A. M.	6:45 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
5:30 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
6:10 P. M.	6:45 P. M.
6:30 P. M.	7:15 P. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
10:00 P. M.	10:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT:

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Lv. Wilmington, A.C.L.	15:50am. *3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A.C.L.	9:15am 6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N.S.R.R.	*7:15am*10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N.S.R.R	9:30am 12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N.S.R.R.	*8:20am*11:30pm
Lv. Wash'gton, N.S.R.R	10:50am 2:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N.S.R.R	8:35pm 6:00am

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Lv. Norfolk, N.S.R.R	8:00 p. m.
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Ar. Wilson, N.S.R.R.	8:05 a. m.
Ar. Wilmington	9:45 a. m.

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Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	6:55 p m
Ar. Chicago,...	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
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Thursday, September 21, 1911.

There wouldn't have to be any appeal for harmony of we don't have any row in the Democratic ranks. Don't ever start a row.

President Taft hates to ask anybody to resign, but a whole lot of darned fools ought to realize that their resignations would be accepted

Nay, Pauline, it is no sign that when a man "makes it warm" for his wife it is because he gets up early in the morning and makes the fire for her.

The Governors are being criticised for dictating to the Supreme Court at their recent gathering at Spring Lake, N. J. Why are all sorts of Governors, anyhow?

A government report says 15,000,000 flies have been swatter this Summer. We should say that bald-headed individuals have slapped the stuffing out of that many of the devlish things

The supporters of President Taft profess to believe that the backbone of insurgency is broken . It may be only a sign that insurgency is humping its back in its hurry to get into the Democratic party.

The principal argument in favor of William J. Bryan, Woodrow Wilson, Judson Hormon, or Champ Clark is that they are stuck on the side of the people. They might be off on a few questions but on the main questions they are on the right track.

Pick out the principal resource of your country and stand by it. In Eastern North Carolina it is trucking, cotton growing, and general agriculture. That is the reason the Star sticks to the farmers and stands for their best interests. At the same time we are not running for any office. We are just an honest Injun.

When people figure on getting cheaper cotton, they ought to consider the high price of mules, the increased wages of labor, and the trust prices for the supplies, implements and machinery necessary to the farmer. If every bale of cotton produced in the South sold at 15 cents a pound, the average Southern cotton grower would be lucky if he could look his creditors in the face.

A scout is a soldier who goes far in advance, keeps his eyes skinned, picks up information about the enemy in front, and hastens back to his commander and reports what he has discovered. Some men are cut out for scouts by reason of their initiative, perception and daring, while others wouldn't know a mare's nest if they should happen to run across one. Cities which want to go forward need a scout squad which will always be on the lookout and report all the opportunities in sight. They ought to be men who know what an opportunity is when they see it.

Chief Justice Ira B. Jones, of South Carolina, has resigned his seat on the high court of his State so he can run for Governor next year. His opponents say he wants to make the governorship a stepping stone to the United States Senate. We happen to know the distinguished gentleman from Lancaster, and if South Carolina can get him for Governor and then as United States Senator, it would indicate that the luck of the State has turned. South Carolina ought to love the opportunity of having either a Governor or a Senator like the man who a quarter of a century ago had to resent a fine eulogium in the Abbeville Medium which had taken up a false notion that Jones had died. Luckily for the Palmetto State, he was a live citizen, and it will be luckier still if South Carolina takes all the offered stock it can get in Ira.

WORKING FOR YOUR TOWN.

The Raleigh Times is calling upon the men of Raleigh to do their duty by their Chamber of Commerce and their city. Our contemporary states that when the Chamber of Commerce of that city was organized on the first day of last June, somewhat more than 500 men gave their names as members. Certainly that should constitute a powerful working body, but of that army of embryo boosters, comparatively few have come across with the 50 cents a month dues which entitles them to membership.

The Times rightly complains about this dereliction on the part of the Raleigh men and urges that if they would make the Chamber of Commerce what it ought to be it could do a great work for Raleigh. So it could, but there is a bare probability that the fault lies in an inactive Chamber of Commerce that has not gotten behind these members and collected those dues. Whenever our commercial bodies get the inspiration that they are business institutions and require every member to do his duty as a matter of business we will hear less complaint of the slack support of these institutions. Let the management of these organizations get more aggressive, determined, and business-like and we won't hear of delinquents on the part of their members.

Let it be understood that the Chamber of Commerce is out for business and is under no obligations to any citizen but that he owes it to his chamber and to his city and to himself to do his part. When the Raleigh Chamber reorganized and got that big list of 500 members, it looked like business. With dues of 50 cents a month it was anticipated that the fund so raised would be realized in advertising Raleigh, but now comes the complaint that those Raleigh men who joined the movement have defaulted or turned up delinquent. Anyhow, wasn't June a bad month to reorganize? Don't we wilt at the collar and lose our gameness during the Summer? Isn't there too much of a disposition to lay off and cease activities during the Summer? Well, we have simply got to get rid of the Summer habit. There isn't any use for us to be Winter ducks. The fact of the business is, Summer is the best time for us to take a time off and boost, for when the Fall and Winter comes that is our busy season and we are too much absorbed with our own business to get out and hustle for the town.

Pushing a city forward as a side line or spasmodically, is a negligible factor in making progress. An experienced man ought to be on the job as a specialty, where he can have a staff of live lieutenants upon whom he can depend at all times. However, the best man on earth for the work, might as well have his hands tied behind him if he hasn't got the backing of the people of his city. Boosting without any backing is like having a river to cross and no boat to reach the other side.

If the people in the cities of the eastern States want to get down to business they will have to get together and pull together—not at one enthusiastic meeting, but all the time. Men must "know their town" if they are to believe in it, because if they do not know it and believe in it, they will have a hard row of stumps to hoe in making somebody else believe in it in a way that they will hasten to it to establish an industry or some kind of business.

There is a disposition in the older cities of the eastern States to raise the dickens about once a year in organizing a movement to build their cities, but after one or two tremendously enthusiastic meetings and a volcanic eruption of hot air they simmer down and it's all over. This is a fact. Why is it thus? It is because what is mistaken for enthusiasm is only a fluttering of "dead ducks". It is because they don't know their town and, therefore, do not really believe in it. If they did believe in it, those who have the money, and naturally and logically should be city builders, wouldn't fall dead when it comes to raising funds to boost their city and proclaim its advantages. It is more or less ridiculous to see Chambers of Commerce, Boards of Trade, Commercial Clubs and such organizations reorganizing with a flourish of trumpets and then collapse and peter out. It is because of a lack of earnestness and genuine spirit. Men who join an organization for progress and then fall down on 50 cents a month constitute a class who simply "want" to see their town go forward without being inspired with the determination that they are going to make it what it ought to be. The whole truth is that a man who knows his town and believes in it has a stock of enthusiasm that will last.

The Westerners say "the cities of the old States are effete," and they laugh when we "rear up, come down and stand hitched." The fact is, we ought to take something for the "dry rot."

PICTURES TO ADVERTISE STATES

Some one sends The Star the following from a motion pitcure magazine:

"The Charleston Chamber of Commerce has evolved a plan of showing moving pictures illustrative of the life, advantages and opportunities of the State of South Carolina, in two great land shows. The pictures are also to be exhibited in various cities of the country. The plan has been submitted to the various commercial organizations of the more prominent cities of the State, and a number of these have signified their desire to co operate in the enterprise. The object of the plan is not only to advertise South Carolina in the best manner in other localities, thereby attracting manufacturers and desirable settlers, but also to speead knowledge of the State's resources and opportunities among the natives and to help the commercial organizations of the South Carolina towns to get in touch and aid each other in their plans for expansion of business and general development."

That's a good scheme in a general way but a definite plan to attract industries and settlers, well advertised where it will reach the people desired, is worth more than all your indefinite publicity. A posiitive municipal or local plan to attract industries, with definite propositions as to factory sites, and the advantages of distribution of finished products and the facilities for getting raw material, will skin all the plans for indefinite publicity. Plenty of land companies and colonizations schemes, offering attractive inducments to settiers and homeseekers, will get the goods. Indefinite advertising and pretty pitcures are entertaining, but the community with a business proposition to make receives the correspondence.

Why don't we get down to business and invite people to come and see the goods on display? We wouldn't give a bona fide, tangible, business like proposition for all the indefinite Southern Congress schemes and motion picture business in the country. Mind., you, we do not decry the value of Southern Commercial Congress work or all kinds of inairect or indefinite publicity it may be of value to the South to Southern communities, but the locality which gets up a regular and well-defined plan to attract industries or settlers, and advertises it, will do business. We ought to know that by this time, after having spent our money in the distribution of hot air.

Get up your industrial proposition and your land offers in black and white, and place the advertising where it will count, and observe the difference between that and irridescent dreams of progress and sporadic ebulitions of community enthusiasm.

CUT OUT THE SMILES.

The people of this country want to be freed from the imposition of the trusts and relieved of the iniquities and burdens of an unreasonably high tariff for the benefit of its trust beneficiaries. If President Taft does not understand that by this time, he is playing for a hard bump in November, 1912.

In spite of the "rule of reason" business of the Supreme Court, the Sugar Trust is still enabled to make consumers pay seven cents a pound for granulated sugar. Their plea is short sugar crops throughout the world, but it turns out that there is very little the matter with the sugar crops as a general thing. The whole truth is that the Sugar Trust is determined to recoup its prosecution expenses from consumers, and instead of being "busted" if still has the power to squeeze the people. It always will have that power so long as Taft and his party with its policy, are in control of the government of the country.

No relief will ever come to the people till they get rid of the Republican party and its special interest legislation. The country does not care a drat for the Taft smile, but what it wants and is going to have is a government that is in the interest of the people and is not concerned in guaranteeing a "reasonable profit" to manufacturers or any other interests.

Taft says he is unalterably opposed to any further amendment to the Sherman anti-trust law, but if after more than a quarter of a century's experience, the trusts still defy the law and oppress the people, and recoup from them at their own sweet will, the expenses of the government prosecution, it is about time for the President to see the necessity of sending somebody to jail.

If the Sherman act does not provide for that the people will demand that it be so amended that their oppressors shall be put behind the bars where they ought to be.

The people are not in any sense disposed to do injury to vested rights, but they do insist on a square deal for themselves. They have nothing to hope for from the plausible Taft or his party. They ought to be able to read between the lines of his speeches in the West while he is "swinging around the circle." Let President Taft cut out his smile and talk for the people.

A great many consumers are bitter over the high price of sugar.

The Democratic House of Representatives passed bills removing the tariff from the machinery and supplies necessary to reduce the expenses of the farmers in the production of the valuable crops of the country. The bill offered free twine to bind the wheat crop of the West, free bagging and ties to wrap the cotton of the South, and free of duty materials and supplies so necessary to profitable agriculture, but President William Howard Taft ran his veto pen through this measure of relief. Has he any right to expect a single friend among the agricultural classes of this country? He can make all the speeches he wants to, and produce platitudes galore, but what does a farmer care for the re-election of a President like Taft?

CURRENT COMMENT.

Officials of the Atlantic Coast Line act like the threatened strike was not worrying them. They are letting the other side do the talking.—Greensboro Record.

Former Governor Aycock, who is here attending court, seems to be at tending to his law practice and letting the other candidates do the quarreling. He acts just like the man who said he didn't cahe whether school kept or not.—Greensboro Record.

A Chinese cruiser arrived at New York last week with a crew of 400 without queues. The cruiser also brought sixty cases containing 6,000 queues with no men attached. Some one has found a profit in collecting discarded pigtails in China and shipping them here to be made into "rats," which many women seem to think increases their charms.—Salisbury Post.

Since the fair that was held in the tobacco warehousees in Winston-Salem the best thing of the kind was the fair held in the stores of Hickory last fall. That fair did not cover the ground a county fair covers, but the exhibits of Catawba produce were all bunched in convenient places, in a way that made observation of them easy and satisfactory. It was not only a unique fair, but one that was made up of splendid exhibitis. We recall that while the woman's department was one of much interest, the real inspiration of the fair was the display of livestock poultry, butter and other products of the Catawba County Creamery. It was the best poultry show in the State—this exhibit by the single county of Catawba. The blooded horses showed what the Catawba farmers are doing in tha line. The only notable deficiency was in the display of sheep, indicating that Catawba is yet a little too much of a dog counry and in need of a dog law. The agricultural products were of a uniformly excellent character. There were no side shows of any sort to divert attention and catch the coin. It was a county fair of the most perfect type and of the most approved order. We have said this much preliminary to expressing our gratification that the Hickory fair is to be repeated this year and on an enlarged scale. The date has been set for early in November as the season most convenient for the attendance of farmers and the exhibit of products. And we want the people of this part of the State to bear this fair in mind. It will be an occasion when they will not only see things that will benefit them, but will gain much knowledge of profit. The fair that the Catawba county people put up is a real fair. —Charlotte Chronicle.

EDITOR BRANCH BEREAVED.

Wife Passes Away Suddenly at Family Home at Red Springs.

(Raleigh News and Observer.)

Friends throughout the State will regret to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. R. B. Branch, wife of Editor R. B. Branch, of the Red Springs Citizen, which occurred day before yesterday. The funeral and interment took place yesterday.

Mrs. Branch was an excellent woman, held in high esteem by all who knew her, and the sympathy of the people goes out to Editor Branch in his hour of bereavement.

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No matter in what way an old sore or ulcer first commenced, whether from a wound, cut, or bruise, or from the ulceration of a wart, pimple or mole, or even if it came without apparent reason, the fact that it does not heal shows that bad blood is responsible for the place. While the circulation remains impure and polluted, the nerves and tissues of the flesh around the place are constantly being fed with unhealthy matter and the fibres are thus prevented from knitting together and healing. Purify the blood and the place ***MUST*** heal, its cause having been removed. ***S. S. S.*** cures old sores and chronic ulcers because it is the greatest of all blood purifiers. It removes from the circulation every taint or impurity, and so enriches the blood that it feeds and nourishes the tender, sensitive flesh, causes a knitting together of all fibrous tissue and thus heals the place naturally and permanently. Book on Sores and Ulcers and any medical advice desired sent free to all who write and request it. ***S.S.S.*** is sold at drug stores. ***THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.***

GUARANTEED Kirschbaum Clothes. ALL WOOL HAND TAILORED

Why Do So Many Men

Neglect the self-advantage of wearing the right clothes Fortunate is the man who is wise to the importance of wearing that which he looks his very best in.

Becoming dress is a tonic to him.

His clothes help him to be spirited and life-loving.

Being right, his clothes make him confident, and confidence begets the bearing, the carriage and step, necessary to impress folks that one is in the fashionable swim.

To the man who hasn't the clothes-instinct, we offer this safe rule:

Get Kirschbaum Clothes with the Cherry-Tree Brand Label.

Guaranteed All-Wool Fabrics; Genuine Hand-Tailoring.

$12.50 to $25.00

J. H. REHDER & CO.

The Firm That Pays Your Carfare.

Headwear and Shoes to Match the Clothing.

Underwear and Hosiery a Specialty.

—In giving a list yesterday morning of the deeds filed for record Tuesday it was erroneously stated that one of the deeds was from Beulah and Henrietta Ennett to Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., for a lot on Sixth, 99 feet east of Ann street.

Fernside Lots! See Advertisement, Page 6. **

TAKEN TO THE HOSPITAL

After Operation Failed to Help, Mrs. Kendrick Found That Cardui Made Her Well.

Jonesville, S. C.—"I suffered with womanly trouble," writes Mrs. J. S. Kendrick, in a letter from Jonesville, "and at times I could not bear to stand on my feet.

The doctor said I never would be any better, and that I would have to have an operation, or I would have a cancer.

I went to the hospital, and they operated on me, but I got no better.

They said medicines would do me no good, and I thought I would have to die.

At last I tried Cardui and I began to improve, so I continued using it. Now I am well and can do my own work. I don't feel any pains. Cardui worked like a charm."

There must be merit in this purely vegetable tonic remedy for women—Cardui—when it will help such an apparently hopeless case as this. Its ingredients are mild herbs, with a gentle, tonic effect on the womanly constitution.

If you suffer from any symptoms of womanly trouble, take Cardui. It will help you to get well.

Cardui goes to the spot—reaches the trouble—relieves the symptoms, and drives away the cause.

Have you tried it? If not, do so. It may be just what you need.

N. B. —Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book. "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

SPECIAL NOTICE

FOR SALE—The Atlantic Trust & Banking Company desires to sell the old building now situated on the northeast corner of Front and Market streets, known as "GREEN'S DRUG STORE BUILDING." The building will be sold to the highest bidder, and sealed bids will be opened on the 22nd of September at twelve o'clock noon. The purchaser will be required to move the building and all old material on or before the 10th day of October, filing a bond of $100.00, with approved security, for the performance of his contract.

Address bids to the undersigned.

ATLANTIC TRUST & BANKING COMPANY.

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New Fall Woolens and Silks!

We are now in full readiness to take care of your every want, and invite you to see our Special Selection of New Silks and Wool Fabrics. Our showing of Silks include the new bordered Marquisettes, Silk and Wool Poplins, Cashmere-de-Soie, and Messalines, in all the new shades, the new Diagonal Cord Silk, and also the New Double Width Crepe-de-Chines, that are so popular this season, in all new shades.

Among our New Woolens you will find all the new, smart weaves, Fancy Suitings, Scotch Mixtures, Rough Weaves, Striped Suitings, Diagonal Weaves, and Serges —both plain and fancy.

A. D. BROWN Dry Goods Co.

"The Modest-Price Store."

"Just Say"

HORLICK'S

It Means Original and Genuine

MALTED MILK

The Food-drink for All Ages.

More healthful than Tea or Coffee. Agrees with the weakest digestion. Delicious, invigorating and nutritious. Rich milk, malted grain, powder form.

A quick lunch prepared in a minute. Take no substitute. Ask for HORLICK'S.

Others are imitations.

We Give Away (FREE)

A fine Gold Watch, first prize; $5.00 in Gold, second prize; $2.50 in Gold, third prize, for the one collecting the largest amount of Bread Labels on Farris' Honey Bread.

"SAVE THE LABELS."

Ask your Grocer for IT.

PRIZES ON DISPLAY AT HONNET'S.

L. C. SMITH GUNS

Made by Hunter Arms Co.

Remington Auto Guns.

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Good Double Hammerless Guns, $15.
Better Grades, $18.

SAVAGE RIFLES .....$4.00 (and upwards)

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HAMILTON RIFLES $1.50, $1.75, $2.00

MARLIN RIFLES .....$9.50 (and upwards)

Reliable Gun Clothing and everything for the sportsman is here.

$6.50 $12.00

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Members of Wilmington Trade Extension Association.

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BARGAINS IN IRON SAFES.

Thirty Iron Safes from 500 to 2,000 lbs. See us for Prices.

Samuel Bear, Sr., & Sons
18 Market Street,
Wilmington, N. C.

MAY BUY SEWERAGE SYSTEM

Council Decides to Pay $160,000 for Plant Provided Details Can be Arranged—To Build Additional Sewers.

At the conclusion of a conference of an hour and a half at which the advice of two or three of their friends was sought, in accordance with a plan arranged at the regular session Tuesday afternoon, the City Council, in special session yesterday afternoon, at the suggestion of Councilman P. Q. Moore, instructed the city clerk and treasurer, by a three to two vote, to notify Iredell Meares, Esq., counsel for the bondholders of the Wilmington Sewerage Company, that it is the sense of the body that the proposition of the company to sell the existing plant to the city for $160,000 be accepted, provided the company agrees to issue additional bonds for an amount sufficient to extend the plant to every point in the city now reached by water mains or may be reached before the completion of the enlarged sewerage system, and provided further that the bonds be not sold for less than par and that the representatives of the city and the sewerage company may be able to agree as to other details.

Councilmen P. Q. Moore, B. C. Moore and M. G. Tiencken voted in favor of the suggestion, while Mayor Smith and Councilman Perdew voted in the negative, Mayor Smith on the ground that as it was a resolution it should have been put in writing to be binding, and stating that if the action is not binding then it is child's play to send any such communication to the sewerage company. Councilman Perdew did not state why he voted against it, except in a general way that the system is not worth the amount the company asks.

Before the action of yesterday becomes operative and binding the details must be arranged between the Council and the bondholders. Councilman Tiencken was presiding at the time the motion of Councilman P. Q. Moore was put to a vote.

At the conference were Mr. H. C. McQueen, president of the Murchison National Bank, and Mr. Chas. N. Evans, of the Southern National Bank, who were present by special invitation, the former being invited by Councilman Perdew and the latter by Councilman Tiencken. The other members did not avail themselves of the opportunity to invite one of their friends to be present and join in the discussion. There were a few other citizens present, however, and were much interested.

The Council, by its action yesterday afternoon has agreed with the bondholders that the existing plant is worth $160,000, at which price they agree to purchase it, the only thing now remaining being to agree upon the details. The additional sewers, for which the company is to issue new bonds, will be laid under the supervision of an engineer to be mutually agreed upon. The plant is to be turned over to the city complete and the city will be given a long number of years in which to liquidate the debt.

Those who voted in favor of acceptance of the proposition to purchase and to let the company complete the system took the position that it is the only thing that can be done to provide a municipal sewerage system within the next few years. Should the value of the existing plant be arbitrated, the city agreeing to abide by the result, there would be no money left in the treasury, after paying the purchase price, with which to enlarge the plant to meet the needs of the city. The bondholders would not agree to sell the plant on time at the price which might be fixed by arbitration. Under the proposed arrangement the $135,000 or $140,000 to the credit of the water and sewerage fund might be used in moving the water intake, or applied to the debt for the municipal plant as in the judgment of the Council is best. Should the city refuse outright to purchase the existing plant the sewerage company could cause litigation that would most likely hold up the work of installing a municipal plant for four or five years or even longer while the matter is being threshed out in the courts. These and similar questions have arisen among members of the Council and those voting in the affirmative yesterday afternoon have come to the conclusion that the city might as well proceed at once to get possession of the existing plant and then lose no time to secure the enlarged system. However, whether the city and the bondholders will be able to agree upon the details is another question.

The contract with Furlong & Co., for removal of slops and carrion from the city having been pronounced satisfactory by Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, the same was approved by the Council. The word "small" before carrion means everything except horses and cows, said Dr. Nesbitt. The meeting adjourned shortly before 6 o'clock.

BODY OF MR. T. T. LOCKEY FOUND

Recovered From Black River—Funeral Services Yesterday.

The body of Mr. T. T. Lockey, a well known and highly esteemed citizen of Currie, who was drowned in the Black river Monday afternoon, was recovered Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, being found by Mr. Owen Brinson, of this city, who was in that community spending his vacation, and Mr. Frank Moore. The young men had been at work less than an hour when the body was caught up by one of the several hooks which they were dragging across the bottom of the stream. The water at this point was about 20 feet deep. The body was found about ten feet from the point where it went down. Mr. Lockey lived only a short distance from where he lost his life and the body was taken to his home. The funeral services were held at the residence about three miles from Currie station, at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, and the interment was in the family burying ground. Mr. Brinson, who aided in the recovery of the body has returned from his vacation.

Best thing on earth for the money—Seven Springs Water. 'Phone 1825.!!

Fernside Lots! See Advertisement, Page 6. **

ANOTHER MURDER LAST NIGHT

Sol Davis, Colored, Killed Will Stevenson and Wounded Alice Sutton, Both Negroes—Murderer Made Escape.

Varying the usual order of things by attempting to commit a double murder, Sol Davis, colored, shot and killed Will Stevenson and wounded Alice Sutton, both colored, last evening about 7 o'clock in an alley between Parsley and Davis, and Second and Third streets. Following the shooting Davis fled and had not been apprehended up to a late hour last night, though a large part of the police force and Sheriff Cowan and several deputies were engaged in the search for him.

According to the few meagre details accessible last night, Davis and the Sutton woman were seated on the front porch of their house talking and became engaged in a quarrel. Stevenson, who lived next door, stepped out on his porch and inquired of Davis why he and the woman were continually quarreling. Davis became angered at this and drawing his revolver fired five shots at Stevenson, who fell dead on his porch. Davis then fired the remaining shot in his revolver at the woman and fled. Stevenson was hit in the head and probably died before he hit the floor. The woman received merely a flesh wound in the arm. She was taken to the James Walker Memorial Hospital and remained there last night.

The police were notified of the shooting a few minutes after it occurred and Officers Coleman, Thompson, Long, Bullard, Frank George and Sergeant Howell were immediately sent to the scene. Officer Leon George, who lives near the place, was already at the house when the party arrived. The police made a hurried investigation and then started in pursuit of the murderer. In the meantime Dr. C. D. Bell, the coroner, was notified, as was Sheriff Cowan. Dr. Bell went to the house and viewed the body of Stevenson. He will probably summon a jury and hold an inquest this morning.

Sheriff Cowan, with several of his deputies, left in the direction of Castle Haynes, following up a report that a negro had been seen hurrying away from the city, headed for that village. The police had not heard from them late last night and it is not thought that the man was captured there.

Patrolman Leon George was sent to Hilton Bridge to head the murderer off if he tried to leave the city by that route. He was notified by the watchman that a negro had come running up the bridge a short time before, in his shirt sleeves and bareheaded, and attempted to cross the bridge. The watchman said that he refused to let the man cross the bridge and that he then turned around and disappeared in the direction of the Cape Fear Oil Mill.

Officers Frank George and Long were sent to Smith's Creek bridge. From there they called up the superintendent of the county home and notified him of the crime, telling him to watch the bridge at the home and see that Davis did not escape that way. The watchman at Navassa bridge was notified by telephone message to look out for the murderer and head him off if he came there.

Chief Fowler ascertained that Davis came here from Lake Waccamaw and he immediately telegraphed authorities in that town and in Burgaw to look out for Davis and arrest him if seen.

A little later Officer Coleman called up headquarters and reported that a negro, thought he had Davis located in a house near Second and Cowan streets. Chief Fowler, Sergeonts Howell and Burnett and "Capt." Bob Green went out in the patrol wagon to investigate. They found that the rumor was unfounded.

It is thought by the police that Davis is still in the city or in the woods nearby, for they had almost every exit guarded soon after the crime was committed and they think it was almost impossible for the man to have gotten out by any of these routes. They still feel confident of capturing Davis, and a vigorous search will be kept up until he is found or all means fail to locate him.

Several citizens remarked last night that it was a pity that the police department did not have a good bloodhound for use on such occasions. They pointed out that crimes of a similar nature are so frequent that the dogs could be kept in excellent training, and that even a poor dog could probably bring some of the criminals to book.

To the Cotton Fields.

Owing to the scarcity of labor in the cotton fields and the high prices that are being offered by the planters for men and women to garner the fleecy staple, many of the colored population are leaving Wilmington for the neighboring counties, where they will engage in cotton picking. Even some of the trusted cooks have bid their pots and pans a fond farewell for a time, much to the sorrow of some of the matrons of the city.

CURE FOR ECZEMA.

Discovery That Cures Eczema, Pimples and All Other Skin Diseases and Blemishes.

Hokara is recognized by the medical profession as an ideal treatment for eczema, pimples, blackheads, salt rheum, ulcers, freckles, acne, barbers' itch or any other skin disease.

It contains no grease or acids, is cleanly to use and is a true food for making the skin soft, white and beautiful.

This remarkable preparation is being sold in Wilmington by J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., at the low price of 25c. for a liberal jar. Larger sizes, 50c. and $1.00.

If Hokara does not give satisfaction, or do all that is claimed for it, you may return the empty jar to J. Hicks Bunting Co. and they will refund your money. If you have any skin trouble, you cannot spend 25c. to better advantage than for a jar of Hokara.

Get it now, or you may be late Seven Springs Water. 'Phone 1825.!!

Fernside Lots! See Advertisement, Page 6. **

CITY MARKET STALLS RENTED

Space in Three Market Houses Owned by the City Let at Hightest Bidder Yesterday Morning. The Bidders.

Pursuant to advertisement the stalls, stores, restaurants, fish and huckster tables of the public markets were rented at auction yesterday morning by Mayor Joseph D. Smith, who has charge of the markets. The auction began at Fourth street market at 10 o'clock, reaching Fifth Ward market about 11 o'clock and Front street market about noon. The Fifth Ward market was rented as a whole to Mr. O. H. Kennedy for $272 rental and 25 cents premium. The other market houses were rented to various individuals and firms. The rental of the places will no doubt be confirmed by the Council.

The names of the successful bidders and amounts of rentals and premiums at Front street and Fourth street markets are as follows:

Front Street Market.

Stalls 1, 3 and 5, north side, to Hopkins & Davis, at $300 annual rental, with 25 cents premium.

Stalls 1, 2, 3, south side, to Hopkins & Davis, $200 rental and 25 cents premium.

Room No. 4, upstairs, Hopkins & Davis, rental $18 and 25 cents premium.

Stalls 2, 4, 6, centre, I. B. Rhodes, $300 rental and 25 cents premium.

Stall No. 7, north side, I. B. Rhodes, $36 rental and 25 cents premium.

Stall No. 10, centre, S. Merrick, rental $75 and 25 cents premium.

Stalls 9, and 11, north side, J. M. Hollins, $75 rental and 25 cents premium.

Stall No. 12, centre, B. F. Hobbs, $30 rental and 25 cents premium.

Restaurant No. 1, Wallace & George, $160 rental.

Restaurant No. 2, J. M. Wallace, $75 rental and 25 cents premium.

Restaurant No. 3, A. M. McIntire, $75 rental and 25 cents premium.

Room No. 3, upstairs, J. H. Hardin, $36 rental and 25 cents premium.

Store No. 1, C. E. Collins, $150 rental and 25 cents premium.

Store No. 2, D. B. Futrell, $110 rental and 25 cents premium.

Store No. 3, D. V. Justice, $150 rental and 25 cents premium.

Stall No. 13, C. L. Spencer & Co., $25 rental and 25 cents premium.

Fish stalls, Space 1 and 2, J. B. Nealey, $320 rental. Space No. 3, D. J. Justice, $144 rental. Spaces 4, 5 and 6, R. C. Fergus, $360 rental.

Fourth Street Market.

Stall No. 1, Josiah Cumber, $150 rental and 25 cents premium.

Stall No. 2, D. C. Sneed, $150 rental and 25 cents premium.

Stall No. 4, Hansley & Co., $75 rental and 25 cents premium.

Store No. 1, G. H. Holmes, $100 rental and 25 cents premium.

Store No. 2, S. O. Frink, $120 rental and 25 cents premium.

Room over market, Breen & Wells, $60 rental.

Six fish tables, J. W. Smith, $240 rental.

Store, J. W. Glisson and Bordin, $200 rental and 25 cents premium.

MR. WM. GEORGE INJURED.

Run Over by Ice Wagon Yesterday Afternoon—Fell From Bicycle.

Mr. William George, a watchman of this city, was rather seriously injured early yesterday afternoon at Second and Orange streets when he collided with one of the ice wagons of the Consumers' Ice Company and fell from his bicycle under the hoofs of the mules, sustaining a nasty gash on his head.

The accident occurred as Mr. George was riding south on Second street and started to cross Orange just as the wagon and team started across Second, going east on Orange from the factory. It was stated by spectators that the driver of the wagon was in no way to blame as he tried to stop his wagon when Mr. George fell. The wagon and mules were almost two-thirds of the way across Second street when Mr. George dashed into them. He fell under the feet of the mules and they became frightened and began to prance. Both mules and the wagon passed over the prostrate man. He was badly cut about the head and was immediately placed in a buggy and taken to the James Walker Memorial Hospital, where his wound was dressed. Persons who witnessed the accident were amazed that he escaped with his life after the severe trampling which he was subjected to.

It was stated at the hospital last night that Mr. George was resting very well considering the nature of his hurts.

MRS. S. A. BARBER DEAD.

Passed Away at Family Home at Bolton Tuesday—Funeral.

The remains of Mrs. S. A. Barber, of Bolton, whose death occurred Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, following a brief illness, were brought through Wilmington yesterday at noon en route to Onslow county, where the funeral will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at her old home near Richlands. Rev. W. E. Brown, of Richlands, will conduct the services, and the interment will be in the family burying ground. Mrs. Barber is survived by her husband and two children, Areline, a daughter 12 years old, and Thomas, aged 10. Mrs. Barber was a most estimable woman and the announcement of her passing was received with genuine regret by many friends, who extend to the bereaved husband and family their heartfelt sympathy.

YOU ARE INVITED.

We use this space only to have the privilege of again inviting you to become a depositor in this bank. A good bank gets better as it grows older and its depositors usually grow with it. This bank invites you to join the large number of prudent, careful people who have found banking relations here both agreeable and profitable.

Total Assets over Two Million Dollars.

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FEDERAL COURT JURORS

Drawing for Fall Term Which Begins on November 6th and Continues for Two Weeks—Announced Yesterday.

Jurors drawn by Mr. S. P. Collier, the clerk, for the Fall term of United States Court which convenes in this city on the morning of November 6th and continues for two weeks, were announced yesterday. While the term begins on the 6th, no business of consequence will be transacted until the next day.

Judge H. G. Connor will preside and District Attorney Seawell, of Carthage, will be here to represent the government in the criminal matters to be tried the first part of the term. The jurors for the term are:

First Week.

Brunswick County—Richmond Galloway, L. D. Ganey, R. W. McKeithan, J. F. Robinson.

Bladen — Newton Robinson, A. B. Cromartie, D. L. Blue, S. G. Wooten.

Columbus — J. E. Thompson, B. L. Townsend, D. J. Jolly.

Cumberland — Nathan Williams, G. L. Haywood, W. A. Crumpler, John Culberth.

Duplin — H. J. Faison, L. Southerland, R. C. Seawell, J. C. Mallard.

New Hanover — A. D. Capps, H. W. Konig, Cuthbert Martin, John W. Brooks, Thomas C. James.

Pender — D. C. Saunders, W. C. Keith, W. W. Alderman.

Sampson— A. J. Cooper, J. A. Fort, L. S. Bell, Allen Daughtry.

Robeson — H. McE. McMillan, R. F. Gregory, N. B. McArthur, John Prevatt.

Richmond — E. W. Manship, W. K. Diggs, J. A. Andrews and S. W. Watkins.

Scotland — D. M. McLaurin, H. T. Hornady and J. S. McDuffie.

Second Week.

Brunswick — A. R. Edwards, Daniel Robinson.

Bladen — C. G. Thompson.

Columbus — W. C. Graham and J. Hall.

Cumberland — Ambrose Williams.

Duplin — Stewart Wells

New Hanover — Thos. Lossen, W. J. Meredith, Thomas L. Vines and J. O. Brown.

Pender — D. H. Corbett, Jr., T. B. Long

Sampson — R. B. Smith.

Robeson—John K. Atkinson, A. H. McLeod

Richmond — John S. Ledbetter.

Scotland — Carl McLean.

HANDSOME NEW RESIDENCE.

Something of the Decorations of the Home of Mr. J. W. Brooks.

The handsome new residence of Mr. J. W. Brooks, at Carolina Heights, is nearing completion. It will be one of the most elegant homes in the State. The architecture is pure classic, being Doric Grecian and both the exterior and the interior are carried out strictly on these lines. The interior is palatial in its finish and treatment.

The decorative work on the interior, which was done by The "Reuben Ring" Decorating and House Furnishing Co., of Winston-Salem, has been completed. The company not only did the decorative work but furnished the carpets, draperies, etc. The work is in classic detail and is as follows:

The front hall is decorated in a style so prevalent in ante-bellum days in the elegant mansions of Mississippi. These old homes were noted for their splendid and attractive interiors. The side walls of the hall are a similar scheme, being a French gray tapestry effect. And to match these walls the rugs are in Wilton in French gray with the borders of classic laurel leaf moulding design to match with the same decoration used on the side wall. The ceiling is in trophical effect in palms, while the dome is a beautiful open sky and upon the light clouds is a festoon of roses supported by cupids.

The parlor walls are panneled in light rose silk relief while the ceiling is in handsome floral. Dining room walls are in leather, while the ceiling is in fresco representing dewberry vines, grapes, cherries, etc., with a cast of coloring in late autumn tones. The sitting room is panneled in tan colored cloth with a ceiling handpainted, of Virginia Creeper and autumn leaves.

The rugs in each of the apartments described are two toned Wiltons to match with the side walls in both color and design. The furniture in the spacious hall is solid mahogany and of very massive pattern and upholstered in silk velour in French gray to match the portiers. In the background of the hall stands an enormous colonial clock.

The chambers on the second floor are carried out respectively in rose, blue, green, cream, tan and French gray, with every rug in two tone to match its walls.

The furniture throughout is of solid mahogany.

Mr. J. Gilmer Korner, manager of the company, was here to personally superintend the work. The fresco work was done by the company's special artist, Mr. Caesar Milch, of Berlin and New York, who has been with the company for about 25 years and is regarded as one of the best in his work south of Washington. In his earlier days he was a pupil and coworker of the world's famous Tojetti.

"The Home" Subject of Lecture.

"The Home" was the subject last night of the lecture of Mr. A. W. Hawks, the well-known Baltimore philosopher and humorist, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. The congregation was large and the discourse was heard with interest and profit by all. There was a large attendance of the young people, to whom is always directed the first part of the remarks of Mr. Hawks. Interest in the services is growing and the attendance increasing. Tonight Mr. Hawks will have as his subject, "Faith," or "I Believe." The public is invited to attend the services.

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THE BANK WITH A RECORD

ATLANTIC TRUST & BANKING CO.

Most Complimentary Reference in Southern Banker, of Atlanta.

"The Southern Banker," of Atlanta, Ga., one of the most prominent of the financial publications in the South, has the following complimentary reference to the Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., of this city, in its issue for September, copies of which have just been received:

"Evidencing its steady and substantial growth, the Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., of Wilmington, N. C., has let contract for eight-story and basement bank and office building on the corner of Front and Market streets, one of the most prominent business sites of Wilmington. The structure is to be thoroughly fireproof, built of steel, cream brick and terra-cotta with tile floors throughout, and will have all modern conveniences and appliances. The Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., whose president is Chas. N. Evans, who is also president of the Southern National Bank of Wilmington, is first on the roll of honor of banks for North Carolina. It has capital $50,000, with surplus and profits in excess of $100,000, and total assets $900,000; pays annual dividends of 16 per cent., was organized less than nine years ago, has never borrowed a dollar, and its surplus and profits have been earned in the conduct of a purely trust and savings business."

ACT QUICKLY

Delay Has Been Dangerous in Wilmington.

Do the right thing at the right time.
Act quickly in times of danger.
Backache is kidney danger.
Doan's Kidney Pills act quickly.
Are for distressing, dangerous kidney ills.

Plenty of evidence to prove their efficiency.

Mrs. J. E. Marshburn, 516 Castle St., Wilmington, N. C., says: "I am well pleased with Doan's Kidney Pills, for they have given satisfaction in my case. My back and kidneys were in bad shape and I had dull pains through my loins, together with headache and a kidney weakness. In the morning when I got up, I was tired and languid and had but little strength with which to begin my day's work. After I had used part of the contents of one box of Doan's Kidney Pills, I improved and it was not long before my kidneys were restored to their proper working order." (Statement given February 24, 1908.)

A Second Endorsement.

On December 27, 1910, Mrs. Marshburn said: "I value Doan's Kidney Pills as highly as ever and have no hesitation in re-endorsing them. They are certainly a good backache and kidney medicine."

For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Elks' Social Session.

Following initiation of several candidates into the mysteries of the order, the Wilmington Lodge of Elks will tonight enjoy a social session to which all members of the lodge are invited with any visiting Elks who may be in the city.

DAVID'S

CLUB-MEN, young men in business; college and high-school men; young fellows generally, who want and appreciate the best things in clothes; you're all invited to see what we have here for you to wear in

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mrs. W. Harvey Cox is visiting relatives and friends at Verona.

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Miss Rene Bullard, of Montague, is visiting Miss Mabel Orrell, No. 315 North Ninth street.

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Misses Jennie and Lula Johnston have returned from a plesant visit to relatives in Savannah, Ga.

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An important called meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon at the First Baptist Church. All members are urged to attend.

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Mr. John J. Fowler, Jr., entertained a number of his friends at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary J. Fowler, No. 514 Nun street, last night from 8:30 to 11 o'clock, in honor of his 21st birthday. The home was most attractively decorated throughout, the color scheme of pink and white being carried out most aamirably. Among the handsome presents received by Mr. Fowler was a solid gold watch, the gift of his uncle, Mr. Joan J. Fowler. A large number of the friends of the young men were present and the evening was deligatfully spent. There were interesting contests and refreshments were served.

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A PRETTY WEDDING CELEBRATED LAST NIGHT.

A beautiful wedding ceremony was solemnized last evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Orrell, No. 310 North Ninth street, when, in the presence of many relatives and friends, their daughter, Miss Estelle Orrell, became the bride of Mr. James Henry Bowden, son of Mrs. Chas. Butler, f this city, Rev. Wm. E. Fox, rector of St. John't Episcopal Church, officiating.

The home was beautifully decorated in green bamboo and palms and lighted with candles and in the parlor, where the beautiful and impressive Episcopal ceremony took place, an improvised altar had been arranged. Miss Orrell wore a handsome gown of white crepe de chine, trimmed with pearls and a white tulle veil, looped with orange blossoms. Her sister, Miss Mable Orrell, the maid of honor, wore white net looped with blue satin roses and carried a bouquet of carnations. The bride was given away by her father, Mr. E. A. Orrell. The groom and his best man, Mr. William Oterson, wore the conventional black.

Miss May Byrd, of Mullins, S. C., presided at the piano and rendered appropriate music throughout the evening. During the ceremony she softly played Mendelssohn's Wedding march.

After the ceremony a reception was given at the house and many of the relatives and friends of the young people called to extend their congratulations and wish for them a long and happily married life. A profusion of beautiful presents attested the popularity of the bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowden will be at home to their friends at No. 820 Grace street. The groom holds a position with Mr. E. Boushee as city and traveling salesman and is a young man of much business ability. His bride is one of Wilmington's handsomest and most cultured young ladies and both are very popular among a wide circle of friends.

The out-of-town guests were: Miss May Byrd, of Mullens, S. C.; Miss Bennie Bullard, of Montague, N. C.; and Mr. and Mrs. E. Orrell, of Masonboro.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. N. A. Currie, of Clarkton, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. B. B. Brown, of Dublin, Bladen county, spent yesterday in the city.

—Mr. J. H. Strauss, of Nichols, S. C., was a visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. Geo. W. Dawson, of Scott's Hill, was in the city yesterday on business.

—Mr. Wallace Smith returned yesterday morning from a visit to Richmond, Va., and Washington.

—Mr. David Hanson left last night for Staunton, Va., where he will enter the Staunton Military Academy.

—Misses Kathleen and Margaret Baldwin and Mrs. H. B. Maxwell, of Whiteville, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. B. McAulay, of Cronly, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Currie, of Clarkton, were among the guests at The Orton yesterday

—Mr. W. A. Simpkins, the well-known proprietor of Simpkins' Prolific Cotton Seed, was in the city yesterday on business in connection with his farm in East Wilmington.

—Rev. Henry W. A. Hanson, left last evening for his home at Pittsburg, Pa., after spending several weeks here, guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hanson. Mr. Hanson is pastor of St. Luke's Church, Pittsburg.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton were V. V. Richardson, Whiteville; Geo. E. Trust, E. L. Ford and E. M. Dewey, Whiteville; A. F. Jones, Whiteville; V Elvington, Bolivia; E. W. Godwin, Jr., Point Caswell; J. J. McKay, Whiteville, and A. B. Holmes, Council's.

—Among the arrivals at The Southern yesterday were: J. W. Turner, Durham; J. H. Stroud, Nichols, S. C.; R. L. Knox, Rocky Mount; E. M. Doughty, Charleston, S. C.; C. W. Lyon, Sr., and C. W. Lyon, Jr., Kelley; A. F. Powell, Southport; J. B. Taylor, Rowland; Fulton Memory, Clarkton; W. R. Carrace, Warsaw; Alex. Hearn, Willard; C. L. Cotton, Southport.

Not a Word of Scandal

marred the call of a neighbor on Mrs. W. P. Spangh, of Manville, Wyo., who said: "She told me Dr. King's New Life Pills had cured her of obstinate kidney trouble, and made her feel like a new woman." Easy, but sure remedy for stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Only 25 cents at R. R. Bellamy's.

Fernside Lots! See Advertisement, Page 6. **

KNOCKED DOWN AND ROBBED.

Stranger Relieved of Over $80 by Thug—No Clue to Perpetrator.

A stranger in the city, giving his home address as Galveston, Texas, and stating that he had been down to Southport on a business trip and was expecting to return there this morning, reported to the police about 11 o'clock last night that while he had stepped for a moment in an alley on Chesnut street, near the winery of Messrs. Sol. Bear & Co., he was knocked down by an unknown person and robbed of between $85 and $87. He was rendered unconscious for the time being, but when he finally recovered himself and was able to reach the street, he reported the matter to Policeman A. D. Newton. Proceeding to the place where the robbery occurred, the officer found the pocketbook under a box car on the siding there, but there was no trace of the money. The stranger was unable to say whether his assailant was white or colored. There was no record of the stranger's name at police headquarters last night, neither could any one give the address of the stranger.

DAY OF PRAYER.

Will be Observed by Missionary Union of This Presbytery.

The "Day of Prayer" an annual observance by the Woman's Missionary Union of Wilmington Presbytery, will be held this year on Saturday, September 30th, at the Black River Presbyterian Church and a large attendance is expected. There will be morning and afternoon services, beginning at 10:30 A. M., when the devotional exercises will be led by Rev. E. B. Carr. This will be followed by an address on the "Medical Work in Kiang-Yin Hospital," by Dr. Geo. C. Worth, of this city.

After lunch, the afternoon session will be convened at 1 P. M., with a song service in charge of Miss Maggie Johnson. Other features of the programme for the afternoon session will be as follows: Hospital Fund, Miss E. W. Murphy; A Busy Day in the Hospital, Mrs. Geo. C. Worth; Echoes from Montreat, Mrs. J. C. Stewart. These will be followed by a season of prayer and adjournment. Most delegates may go up on the morning train and return same evening.

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..Theatrical..

The theatrical season in Wilmington was formally opened last night when Al. G. Field's splendid aggregation of mirth dispensers played to a packed house at the Academy of Music. The audience voted the performance one of the best, brightest and best corkological entertainments ever given in this city. The veteran producer, who has been touring the country for 25 years with his excellent organization of fun-makers, has this season put on a show that has surpassed the more elaborate of his earlier productions. The performance went a long way toward substantiating the claim made by Mr. Field that his present production is the best of his career.

The scenic surprises and transformations lacked nothing and often bordered on the spectacular while the singing, both the solo and the choral work, was of high order. Of particular interest to the audience was the splendid scenic first part called "Night and Morning, or Down Where the Cotton Blossoms Grow." The comedians, singers and dancers are discovered as the curtain rises at work in a cotton field. A dozen cotton pickers are filling sacks and singing the familiar plantation melodies. A sudden transformation shows the glittering "Garden of the Fountains," and a rollicking celebration of a "Flower Festival" is in full swing as the comedians, interlocutor and singers appear. Following a session of much gayety a quick curtain falls and "Forbes Field", the home of the Pittsburg Pirates, is disclosed. The baseball game that follows will cause any true fan to crack a rib from laughter. Feature acts then follow in succession. The performance closes with an imposing tableau entitled, "The Dreadnaught," a cleverly conceived spectacular exhibit. Throughout the performance John Healey, Bert Swor, Doc Quigley and Gov. Bowen, the well known burnt-cork artists, keep the audience in an uproar of mirth by their ridiculous actions and speeches.

First Musical Comedy of Season.

An attraction of unusual excellence is announced in the forthcoming engagement at the Academy next Monday night, September 25th, of the all-Summer success from Charles B. Dillingham's Globe Theatre, New York, "The Echo." It is said to be in every way as pleasing as the other recent Globe successes, namely, "The Slim Princess," "The Old Town," "The Girl in the Train," and "The Red Mill." It is described as being one of the liveliest of musical plays. The book is by William LaBaron, the music by Deems Taylor. The play is in two acts, the first being laid at the Echo House, the second in a mountain grotto. It gets its title from the fact that the hotel is famous on account of an echo which can be heard from the rear of the house. In the hostelry there wander many persons, some seeking repose, others peace and quiet. Among them is Rudolph Sylvester, a wealthy soap manufacturer. Blanche Deyo, more familiarly known as "Deyo the Dancer", has the part of the head waitress. "The Echo" is essentially a dancing piece, for every member of the company dances well. Miss Deyo herself is one of the most graceful and tireless of dancers.

Of course there is the usual large and attractive chorus. Of the many popular and catchy airs in "The Echo" there are "Heigh-Ho", "I'm Waiting Here for Kate," "Whistle When You're Lonely," "The Yoodle Doodle Guards," "Let's All Go to New York," "Skid-a-ma-rink" and "Just You." Seats go on sale at Plummer's Saturday morning.

At The Grand

The Grand today will offer two exceptionally fine photoplays as a feature of the bill of three pictures at the theatre. One is a big Biograph subject, "Dan, the Dandy," depicting a father's disappointment in his son and teaching a strong moral lesson. The other feature picture is "The Ranger's Stratagem," or "A Paleface Among the Indians", a thrilling Western production that will instruct as well as entertain. Marion Sais will be seen as "The White Bird". Danford will sing a beautiful ballad illustrated, "'Twas in the Times of Roses."

At the Bijou.

A star film that the Bijou will have on today will prove especially interesting as it will give an insight into life at West Point. The great military academy of the United States is always a place of keen interest, and visitors to this country gladly accept any opportunity offered to visit it. In the big film, "Cherry Blossoms," some splendid scenes will be vividly presented of West Point. There is a stirring story told in the film and one of its chief scenes is at West Point. From there the scene shifts to far away Japan, and the views given of this country of the Mikado's are not only of live interest, but decidedly pretty. In addition to this film, which is the latest creation there will be many other fine photoplays, including some of the funniest of all pictures. The music for today will be new, merry and tuneful.

The New Lyric.

The New Lyric, Wilmington's new vaudeville and picture house, continues to draw its share of the crowds, a good sign that it is making good in every sense of the word. The films at all times, will be clean, and nothing will be shown that could offend any taste. The orchestra is making a big hit at every performance. The special matinees for ladies and children at 3:30 and 4:30 are proving very popular and will be continued at the price of 10 cents admission. Entire change of programme will go on today.

MEETING TONIGHT.

Cape Fear Golf Club Will Consider Important Matters.

Members of the Cape Fear Golf Club are requested to take the 8 o'clock car for the annual meeting tonight as there will be no special car at 8:14 o'clock, as previously stated. A large attendance is desired as matters of importance are to be considered.

Fernside Lots! See Advertisement, Page 6. **

B. Altman & Co.

WILL MAIL, ON REQUEST, A COPY OF THEIR NEW CATALOGUE No. 104, FOR THE AUTUMN AND WINTER SEASONS, 1911-1912.

Fifth Avenue, 34th and 35th Streets, New York.

State Building Commission.

Attention of contractors and others is called to the advertisement for proposals for the erection of the handsome administration building in Raleigh, according to plans and specifications previously accepted. The advertisement may be found elsewhere in these columns today.

—There will be a meeting tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock of the bar of the county for the purpose of arranging the calendar for the two weeks' civil term of Superior Court which will convene October 2nd. The meeting will be held in the office of the Clerk of the Court.

Fernside Lots! See Advertisement, Page 6. **

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Over a century ago the old French Market at New Orleans was famed for its delicious coffee. It was quite different from the ordinary coffee of today. People were accustomed to visit the French Market and drink cup after cup of the delicious beverage. Andrew Jackson, Henry Clay and other famous men praised this rare old French Blend. Beautiful women of New Orleans enjoyed it at the close of the Mardi Gras balls, and after the daily siesta. *Then* you could obtain

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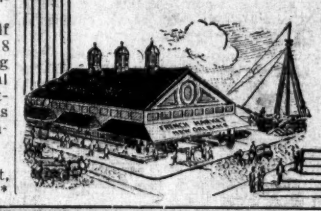

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Financial and Commercial

A RAPID DECLINE FOR COTTON

Prices Made New Low Records on Market Yesterday—Close Was Easy—Heavy Offerings From the South.

New York, September 20.—The cotton market was active and excited today with prices making new low records under more or less general selling, which was supposed to include liquidation by leading speculative longs as well as heavy offerings from the South against the increasing new crop movement. The close was easy and at practically the lowest, with last prices showing a decline of from 28 to 32 points for the day.

The opening was steady, at a decline of 7@8 points in response to disappointing cables, and selling became sensationally heavy right after the call, as weather conditions were considered favorable; foreign news indicated no improvement in the unsettled political or labor situation abroad, and advices from the South reported that interior holders both in the Atlantics and the Southwest were offering their cotton freely at low prices. Stop loss orders were uncovered just below 11 cents for December, and while realizing on the part of older shorts was sufficiently active to check the decline and cause slight rallies from time to time, the general tendency of the market was downward until October touched 10.72, December 10.75 and January 10.71. These prices reflected a net loss of from 30 to 33 points, and represented the lowest level that has been reached in the market since the same positions were selling about 13.87 last June.

A rally of 9 or 10 points followed on covering, but the demand seemed to be limited to shorts. Southern offerings continued heavy during the afternoon, reports from the South indicated further declines from 3-16 to ¼c. in the leading spot markets, and in the absence of any bull support the market failed to hold any improvement of consequence, closing within a point of the lowest on most positions. Leading bull operators are credited with having sold very freely on the decline, and with the support from this source withdrawn local sentiment, judging from the character of the trading, and the talk around the ring, has become very bearish on the ground that so long as the South is willing to sell freely, prices must go to a bargain basis before the expected record-breaking early movement can be absorbed.

Receipts today, 54,319 bales, against 32,121 last week, and 35,188 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 2,143, against 2,487 last year, and at Houston, 20,896 against 10,099 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 25 points lower. Middling uplands, 11.20; middling gulf, 11.45.

Futures closed easy.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	10.98	11.00	10.71	10.73
February	11.00	11.00	10.80	10.80
March	11.10	11.11	10.84	10.86
April	.....	.....	.....	10.93
May	11.19	11.20	10.95	10.97
July	.....	11.11	10.95	10.95
September	11.06	11.11	10.87	10.87
October	10.94	10.95	10.72	10.75
November	.....	10.88	10.88	10.75
December	11.03	11.04	10.75	10.77

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 11⅝; net receipts, 27,599; gross receipts, 27,599; sales, 800; stock, 122,977.

New Orleans—Nominal, 11⅝; net receipts, 2,143; gross receipts, 2,143; sales, 450; stock, 27,393; coastwise, 970.

Mobile—Easy, 10 13-16; net receipts, 1,900; gross receipts, 1,900; sales, 400; stock, 10,703; coastwise, 4.

Savannah—Quiet, 10⅝; net receipts, 13,469; gross receipts, 13,469; sales, 7,325; stock, 66,082; Great Britain, 6,986; coastwise, 200.

Charleston—Quiet, 10⅜; net receipts, 3,210; gross receipts, 3,210; stock, 23,191; coastwise, 250.

Wilmington—Steady, 10⅝; net receipts, 3,711; gross receipts, 3,711; stock, 10,576; continent, 6,467.

Norfolk—Dull, 11; net receipts, 2,278; gross receipts, 2,278; sales, 475; stock, 9,598; constwise, 2,267.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11¼; gross receipts, 1,000; stock, 3,107; Great Britain, 100; continent, 800.

New York—Quiet, 11.20; gross receipts, 4,650; sales, 26; stock, 92,262; continent, 5,454; coastwise, 3,134.

Boston—Quiet, 11.20; gross receipts, 1,018; stock, 12,177; continent, 1,075.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 11.45; stock, 2,027.

Total today at all ports—Net, 54,319; Great Britain, 7,086; continent, 13,796; stock, 380,099.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 222,278; Great Britain, 43,907; France, 29,442; continent, 65,303; Japan, 600.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports — Net, 632,773; Great Britain, 156,594; France, 74,768; continent, 177,350; Japan, 700; Mexico, 350.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Easy, 11; net receipts, 20,896; gross receipts, 20,896; shipments, 17,965; sales, 8,484; stock, 70,194.

Augusta—Quiet, 11; net receipts, 3,228; gross receipts, 3,378; shipments, 2,384; sales, 2,176; stock, 22,415.

Memphis—Steady, 11¼; net receipts, 354; gross receipts, 369; shipments, 103; sales, 325; stock, 19,201.

St. Louis—Quiet, 11⅝; gross receipts, 221; shipments, 221; stock, 2,070.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 195; gross receipts, 195; shipments, 397; stock, 13,603.

Little Rock—Quiet, 10⅜; net receipts, 17; gross receipts, 17; shipments, 9; stock, 1,516.

Total today—Net receipts, 24,690; gross receipts, 25,076; shipments, 21,079; sales, 10,995; stock, 128,999.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, September 20.—Doubt about the success of the reciprocity rallied the wheat market today, after a decline due to free movement of the grain from the harvest fields of Germany and France. Closing figures were steady, at a shade lower to ⅛c. higher than last night. Latest trading left corn ¼ off to ¼c. up, oats 1-16 to ⅛c. increase in cost, and hog products varying from unaltered rates to an advance of a nickel.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 92½@93; No. 3, do., 90@91½; No. 2, hard, winter, 95½@98; No. 3, do., 92½@95; No. 1, northern, 1.00@1.04; No. 2, do., 99@1.02; No. 3, do., 98@1.01; No. 2, spring, 99@1.00; No. 3, do., 85@1.00; No. 4, do., 75@95; velvet chaff, 75@1.00; durum, 90@99.

Corn—No. 2, 67⅞@68; No. 2, white, and No. 2, yellow, 68@68¼; No. 3, 67½@67⅞; No. 3, yellow, 67½@68; No. 4 yellow and No. 4, white, 67@67½.

Oats—No. 2, white, 45@45½; No. 3, do., 44½@44¾; No. 4, 43; No. 4, white, 43½@44¼; standard, 44¾@45.

Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept	91⅞	92¼	91⅞	92¼
Dec	95⅝	96⅛	95⅝	95⅞
May	1.01⅜	96⅛	95⅜	95⅞
Corn:				
Sept	67⅜	67¾	67	67⅛
Dec	63⅜	64¼	63⅝	64
May	65½	65⅞	65⅛	65½
Oats:				
Sept	42⅞	43½	42¾	43¼
Dec	45	45¾	45	45¾
May	47⅞	48½	47⅞	48⅛
Mess Pork, per barrel:				
Jan	15.02½	15.15	15.00	15.10
Lard, per 100 pounds:				
Sept	9.15	9.25	9.15	9.25
Oct	9.17½	9.25	9.17½	9.25
Dec	8.85	8.92½	8.85	8.90
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds:				
Jan	8.87½	8.92½	8.85	8.90
Oct	8.45	8.55	8.42½	8.45
Jan	7.97½	8.02½	7.95	7.97½

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, September 20.—The cotton goods market held steady during the day, with a continuation of inquiry reported for export fabrics. Jobbers are doing a moderate and steady business. Retailers are buying more liberally for early use and are reported to be doing a better trade.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Br. str. Dunolly, 2,127 tons, Comer, St. Lucia via Norfolk, Anexander Sprunt & Son.

Cleared.

Br. str. Hermia, Fettes, Genoa, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Exports—Foreign.

Genoa—Br. str. Hermia, 6,467 bales cotton, valued at $388,000; cargo and vessel by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Dunolly (Br.), 2,127 tons, Comer, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Mariner (Br.), 1,533 tons, Morrison, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Wilston (Br.), 1,633 tons, Niven, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Barques.

Tomasso Drago (Ital.), 352 tons, Orengo, C. D. Mafflitt.

Schooners.

John H. May, 319 tons, Stille, C. D. Mafflitt.

Geo. F. Scannell, 475 tons, Stratton, C. D. Mafflitt.

Calhoun E. Ross, 375 tons, Coulbourn, C. D. Mafflitt.

Edith H. Symington, 881 tons, Stiles, C. D. Mafflitt.

Lottie R. Russell, 266 tons, James, C. D. Mafflitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 20.

Atlantic Coast Line—3,198 bales cotton; 12 casks spirits turpentine; 12 barrels rosin; 26 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—513 bales cotton; 3 casks spirits turpentine; 18 barrels rosin; 9 barrels tar; 5 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Geneva Moore—5 casks spirits turpentine; 53 barrels rosin.

Str. Whitlock—14 barrels rosin.

Str. Shallotte—22 casks spirits turpentine; 85 barrels rosin.

Sharpie C. D. Mafflitt—5 casks spirits turpentine; 65 barrels rosin.

Sir Annie B.—170 barrels rosin.

Total—3,711 bales cotton; 47 casks spirits turpentine; 413 barrels rosin; 9 barrels tar; 31 barrels crude turpentine.

Total last year—3,282 bales cotton; 29 casks spirits turpentine; 126 barrels rosin; 175 barrels tar; 38 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, September 20.—Flour was firmly held with a fair business doing.

Rye Flour—Firm.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Rye—Quiet.

Barley—Quiet.

Wheat—Spot, steady. No. 2, red, 97¼, elevator, export basis, and 98¾, f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed ¼c. net lower to ½c. net higher. September, 98¾; December, 1.01⅝; May, 1.07.

Corn—Firm. No. 2, 75, elevator, domestic basis, to arrive, and 74½ f.o.b. afloat, export grade. Futures, nominal.

Oats—Firm. Standard white, 49; futures nominal.

Leather—Steady.

Pork—Steady.

Beef—Steady.

Lard—Easy.

Tallow—Quiet.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Firm.

Sugar—Raw and refined, firm.

Coffee—Futures closed steady at a net advance of 3@15 points. Spot, steady; Rio, No. 7, 13⅝; Santos, No. 4, 14⅜; mild, quiet; Cordovia, 14½@16, nominal.

Butter—Steady, unchanged.

Cheese—Very firm.

Eggs—Firm, unchanged.

Potatoes—Easy; Jersey sweets, basket, 1.25.

Cabbages—Weak, at 2.00@4.00 per 100.

Freights—Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Except for September, which was higher on covering of belated shorts, cotton seed oil was lower, owing to liquidation on the cheaper and freer offerings of crude and with the weakness in cotton. September closed five points net higher, and other months 6@7 points lower. September, 7.05@7.10; October, 5.95@5.95; November, 5.75@5.79; December, 5.75@5.77; January, 5.75@5.76. Prime crude, 4.73@4.93; do. summer yellow, 7.05@7.50; do. winter yellow and summer white, 7.00 bid.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 20.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady, 49¾ cents per barrel.

ROSIN—Steady, $5.70 per barrel.

TAR—Firm at $1.80 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip, and $4.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, steady at 70¾; rosin, steady, 5.40; tar, firm, $2.50; crude turpentine, firm, at $4.00@$5.50 and $6.00.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	47
Rosin	413
Tar	9
Crude Turpentine	31

Receipts same day last year, 29 casks spirits turpentine; 126 barrels rosin; 175 barrels tar; 38 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 11⅛ cents.

Same day last year, nothing doing.

Receipts—3,711 bales; same day last year, 3,282 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Sept. 16.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, 85 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.00 to $1.25; Spanish, $1.10 to $1.25.

CORN—Firm; .85 to .87½c. per bu.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.25 per bu.

Out of season.

BEEF—On foot, dull, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Out of season.

WOOL—Burry, .11@.12c. per lb.; free of burr, 17 to 18 per lb.

HIDES—Green, .08 to .08½ per lb.; dry, .12 to .13 per lb

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 20c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 13c. to 14c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, out of season. Chickens, grown, .40@.45 per head; chickens, spring, 15@35 per head; Geese, .50 per head.

EGGS—Fair demand, .21 to .22 per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, .90 to $2.50 per head; grown sheep, .90 to $2.25.

Petersburg Peanut Market.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Farmers' Spanish—Firm, at $1.25 per bushel; Virginias—Firm; Bunch, 5c to 5½c per lb.; Fancy Hand-Picked, 4¼c to 5c. per lb.; Prime, 3¾c per lb.; Machine Picked, 3¼c. to 4c. per lb.; Shelling Stock, 3c. per lb.

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NERVOUS TRADING IN STOCKS

Investors Fear Dissolution Proceedings Against Large Corporations—Steel Again Shoulders Burden—Features.

New York, September 20.—Wall street showed increasing nervousness today as to the intentions of the government in regard to enforcement of the anti-trust law. Selling of stocks was conducted on a scale which seemed to indicate that some investors were in fear of further dissolution proceedings against large corporations. This was notably true of United States Steel, which once more was called upon to shoulder the heaviest burden. The preferred stock and bonds gave way, the former selling at 1.10¾, the lowest price since 1900, and the latter at 1.00, the lowest since 1908.

The common also reached a new low point on the year, 62⅝, the losses in each case exceeding three points. Elsewhere in the market declines were general. The chief losses were among the industrials, running as high as five points. Railroad stocks in most cases declined little more than a point. On a late rally the railroad shares recovered their losses and a partial recovery was effected among the industrials.

Wall Street for several days has been listening to reports that one by one the great corporations are to be dissolved, provided the Federal government can bring it about. Despite the lack of foundation for these reports, they were effectual in unsettling sentiment. Announcement today that the government would permit the International Harvester Company without a dissolution suit, to adapt itself to the Sherman law while affecting that stock favorably at the time, did not serve to bring about a better feeling, but, on the contrary, was followed by the heaviest selling of the day. The attack on United States Steel was assisted by reports of impending reductions in wages at steel mills.

Steel men were said to have abandoned hope of a stiffening of prices this Fall, and to have decided that a substantial lowering in wages was inevitable. Steel prices now average about $7 a ton below the rates prevailing in 1907, and the reduction has been made with no corresponding change in the scale of wages. The weekly trade reviews reported further falling off in business, together with some new price concessions.

The Copper shares showed marked weakness today on statements in regard to abandonment of efforts to restrict production. Houses with London connections were heavy buyers of stocks. Foreign purchases of Union Pacific alone were estimated at more than ten thousand shares, and the total amount taken probably exceeded 40,000 shares. The belief that the Moroccan question is on the verge of peaceful settlement undoubtedly is largely responsible for this change of attitude on the part of Europe.

The bond market was weak. Total sales, par value, $2,190,000. United States government bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales for the day, 737,300 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	17½
Amalgamated Copper	53⅛
American Agricultural	50¼
American Beet Sugar	50¾
American Can	9¾
American Car and Foundry	45⅝
American Cotton Oil	50⅞
American Hide and Leather, pfd	18
American Ice Securities	17½
American Linseed	8½
American Locomotive	34
American Smelting and Refining	68¼
American Smelting and Refining, pfd.	102
American Steel Foundries	27
American Sugar Refining	115
American Tel and Tel	135¼
American Tobacco, pfd	90½
American Woolen	28¼
Anaconda Mining Co	33½
Atchison	102
Atchison, pfd	101½
Atlantic Coast Line	118
Baltimore and Ohio	95⅝
Bethlehem Steel	27¼
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	73
Canadian Pacific	225¼
Central Leather	20½
Central Leather, pfd	95
Central of New Jersey	270
Chesapeake and Ohio	70½
Chicago and Alton	25
Chicago Great Western	17½
Chicago Great Western, pfd	36
Chicago and North Western	139
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	111¼
C., C., C. and St. Louis	53
Colorado Fuel and Iron	25½
Colorado and Southern	44
Consolidated Gas	133¾
Corn Products	12½
Delaware and Hudson	159
Denver and Rio Grande	22
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	45½
Distillers' Securities	30
Erie	31
Erie, 1st pfd	50⅝
Erie, 2nd pfd	40⅜
General Electric	148¼
Great Northern, pfd	123⅝
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	45½
Illinois Central	135½
Interborough-Met	13⅝
Interborough-Met., pfd	41
Inter-Harvester	100¼
Inter-Marine, pfd	14¼
International Paper	9
International Pump	20
Iowa Central	18
Kansas City Southern	25
Kansas City Southern, pfd	63½
Laclede Gas	102
Louisville and Nashville	137¼
Minneapolis and St. Louis	36
Minn., St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie	129½
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	28¾
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	63½
Missouri Pacific	34⅞
National Biscuit	128½
National Lead	48⅝
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	28¼
New York Central	101¾
New York, Ontario and Western	38⅝
Norfolk and Western	100½
North American	65½
Northern Pacific	114½
Pacific Mail	29½
Pennsylvania	119⅜
People's Gas	103¼
Pittsburg, C., C. and St. Louis	91
Pittsburg Coal	17⅝
Pressed Steel Car	27½
Pullman Palace Car	154½
Railway Steel Spring	27½
Reading	138½
Republic Steel	21⅞
Republic Steel, pfd	86
Rock Island Co	23⅜
Rock Island Co., pfd	45⅛
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	38
St. Louis Southwestern	20½
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	68
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	36¼
Southern Pacific	107½
Southern Railway	26½
Southern Railway, pfd	63
Tennessee Copper	32¼
Texas and Pacific	22⅜
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	17½
Toledo, St. L. and Western, pfd	40
Union Pacific	155
Union Pacific, pfd	88½
United States Realty	66⅜
United States Rubber	36½
United States Steel	63⅜
United States Steel, pfd	110⅝
Utah Copper	41⅛
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	49
Wabash	13
Wabash, pfd	25⅞
Western Maryland	51⅜
Westinghouse Electric	60¼
Western Union (ex. div.)	75¼
Wheeling and Lake Erie	2½

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, September 20.—Money on call, steady, at 2@2½; ruling rate, and closing bid, 2¼; offered at 2¾. Time loans, firm; sixty days, 3¼@3½ per cent.; ninety days, 3⅜@4; six months, 4@4¼. Prime mercantile paper, 4¾; sterling exchange, firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.83.25 for sixty day bills, and at 4.86.40 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.82½; bar silver, 52½; Mexican dollars, 45.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

September 21st, 1911.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., Wednesday, Sept. 20th.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 72 degrees; at 8 P. M., 79 degrees; maximum, 89 degrees; minimum, 60 degrees; mean, 75 degrees.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Tuesday, 1.3 feet.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; for the months, 3.60 inches.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Thursday; Friday, increasing cloudiness; light, variable winds.

Port Calendar—Sept. 21st.

Sun rises	5:50 A. M.
Sun sets	6:11 P. M.
Day's length	12 hrs. 12 min.
High water at Southport	8:00 P. M.
High water at Wilmington	11:00 P. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

September 20, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today	Temperature: Lowest Last Night.	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	cloudy	92	64	.16
Asheville	cloudy	82	62	.08
Atlanta	clear	88	66	.0
Augusta	pt cldy	88	70	.10
Birmingham	clear	88	68	.0
Boston	clear	76	56	.0
Charleston	clear	88	72	.0
Charlotte	clear	88	70	.0
Chicago	cloudy	68	58	.0
Galveston	pt cldy	88	80	.0
Jacksonville	clear	90	72	.0
Memphis	clear	80	64	.06
Mobile	clear	88	70	.0
Montgomery	cloudy	90	70	.36
New Orleans	cloudy	88	74	.08
New York	clear	80	64	.0
Palestine	clear	94	70	.0
Oklahoma	cloudy	84	62	.0
Pittsburg	clear	72	50	.0
Raleigh	clear	86	68	.0
Savannah	clear	92	70	.0
Shreveport	pt cldy	92	70	.0
St. Louis	raining	76	56	.0
Washington	clear	80	68	.0

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot, Quiet; Prices, 11 to 13 Points Lower—Futures.

Liverpool, September 20.—Spot, quiet; prices 11 to 13 points lower. American middling fair, 7.50; good middling, 7.24; middling, 7.00; low middling, 6.86; good ordinary, 6.60; ordinary, 6.35.

The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 400 were for speculation and export, and included 4,500 American. Receipts, 17,000 bales, including 12,700 American.

Futures opened easier and closed easy. September, 6.43½; September and October, 5.95; October and November, 5.88; November and December, 5.86½; December and January, 5.86; January and February, 5.86½; February and March, 5.88½; March and April, 5.90½; April and May, 5.91½; May and June, 5.92½.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Sept. 20.—Rosin and turpentine, steady.

Charleston, September 20.—Turpentine, firm, at 50¾.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: B and C, 6.05@6.20; D, 6.30@6.35; E, 6.40; F, 6.50; G and H, 6.45@6.50; I, 6.50; K and M, 6.50@6.55; N, 6.55; W G, 7.00@7.10; W W, 7.20@7.30.

Savannah, September 20.—Turpentine, firm, 51; sales, 230; receipts, 650; shipments, 1,102; stocks, 81,992. Quote: B, 6.10; D, 6.35; E, 6.40; F, G, H, I, K and M, 6.55; N, 6.67½; W G, 6.95; W W, 7.20@7.30.

Fernside Lots! See Advertisement, Page 6. **

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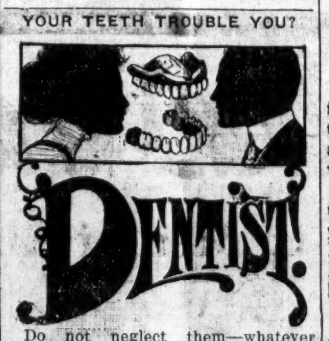

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CLAUDIUS DOCKERY,
United States Marshal.

By C. O. Knox, Deputy Marshal.

In the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of North Carolina..... ..In Admiralty.

George V. Denney, Master, et al., vs. The Schooner "James Davidson" ..No. 121..

In obedience to warrant of seizure to me directed in the above entitled cause, I have seized and taken into my possession the following described property, to wit: The Schooner "James Davidson," her cargo, tackle, apparel and furniture. For the cause set forth in the libel now pending in the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington, I hereby give notice to all persons claiming the said described property, or knowing or having anything to say why the same should not be condemned and forfeited and sold, and the proceeds thereof distributed according to the prayer of the libel, that they be and appear before the court to be held in and for the Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington United States Court Room, in the city of Wilmington, on the 25th day of September, 1911, at 11:00 A. M., if the same shall be a day of jurisdiction, wherein on the next day of jurisdiction thereafter, then and there, interpose a claim on the same, and to make their allegations in their behalf.

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By C. O. KNOX, Deputy Marshal.
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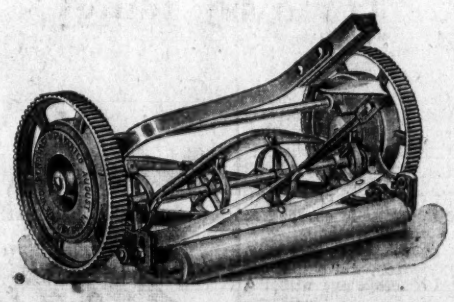
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STRIKE SETTLED
MEN WILL RETURN

(Continued from Page One.)

slightest disorder marked the brief time in which they were unemployed. Both the company and the men expressed the belief shortly after the walk-out that the trouble would soon be settled amicably.

The Rocky Mount Story.

Rocky Mount, N. C., Sept. 20.—Unless some definite agreement was reached at the conference at Wilmington this afternoon between members of the Car Workers Grievance Committee, General Manager Royall, and Superintendent of Motive Power R. E. Smith, the chances are that the walkout of the car workers will become a full fledged strike within 48 hours. The car men left here for Wilmington after an unsatisfactory meeting between Mr. Doughty, and the railroad officials. The long expected word from the grand lodge of the car workers came this afternoon from Chillicothe, Ohio, in a message from P. F. Richardson, Grand President of the union. The message was received evidently after Mr. Richardson, learned of the failure of the road officials here and the union officials to come to an agreement. In it the grand president said that he would take the first train from Chillicothe, for Rocky Mount, and that he would reach here tomorrow night some time. He instructed the union here to keep the situation as it now is until his arrival. If an agreement was reached at Wilmington, it is likely that the men will return to work at once; if not, the situation will be unchanged pending the arrival of President Richardson with the exception that it will be further from a settlement than at any time. Such a switch in conditions came as a complete surprise to both sides today so far as the public knew, it was believed in Rocky Mount that the day would see the men ready to return to work pending a settlement. Even when it was learned that Mr. Doughty had been unable to reach a settlement here and that Mr. Knox, and Mr. Doughty, were going to Wilmington, it was still thought that a settlement had only been delayed. But with the advice that the grand president felt the situation so serious that he would have to come here himself the view became more pessimistic.

DEATH AT NEWBERLIN.

Mr. W. J. Huffham Passes—Personal and Other Whiteville Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., Sept. 20.—The news of the death of Mr. Wm. J. Huffham, of New Berlin, has just reached Whiteville. Mr. Huffham was 60 years of age and leaves eight children, and also a widow.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wright and Misses Helen and Martha Wright, of Boardman, are in the North for several weeks. They will return home via Raleigh where the Misses Wright will enter St. Mary's.——Rev. Mr. McMurray, a young Presbyterian minister from Columbia, S. C., is spending some time with his sister, Mrs. W. R. McKellor, in Boardman.——Editor Gantt still continues sick and confined to his home and it will be impossible for Mrs. Mims to resume work on the Greater Columbus County edition until he recovers, as she has charge of the News-Reporter during his illness. They hope, however, to resume work on it and push it to completion in the near future.——Mr. and Mrs. Oscar High have been in Baltimore the past week. Mr. High returned yesterday but Mrs. High will visit relatives in Richmond before returning to Whiteville.——Rev. C. C. Smith is spending the wek at Green Sea, Horry county, where he is assisting in an evangelistic meeting. He will return Saturday.

Miss Ruby Holliday, of Marion, is the attractive guest of Miss Maud Richardson.——The friends of Jule Lewis, son of Col. D. J. Lewis, will regret to learn that he is confined to his home by sickness.

Miss Ruth Geddie, who has been teaching at Clarendon, will resign her position there to accept one with the Butters Lumber Co., at Boardman. Miss Grace Geddie, who has been filling this position will return to Whiteville and work in the Register of Deeds' office.

There is a general complaint from every section of the county of the scarcity of cotton pickers. The crops throughout the county are splendid, and some of the fleecy staple is going to waste owing to the inability of the planters to secure enough hands.

Mrs. Mattie Mills and family left today for Wilmington, which place will be their future home.——Mrs. H. B. Maxwell and Misses Margaret and Katherine Baldwin are in Wilmington today. They went down for Fields Minstrels.

FANATIC IS HELD.

Sensational Developments Growing Out of Shaker Colony Episode.

Kissimmee, Fla., Sept. 20.—Sensational evidence indicating that Sister Sadie Marchant was not near death as alleged when chloroform was administered to her by Brother Egbert Gillette, head of the Shaker colony at Ashton, has resulted in the coroner's jury holding Brother Gillette on the charge of wilful murder. The verdict was reached yesterday and made public today.

Sister Elizabeth Sears, who by her alleged confession, aided Brother Gillette in administering the chloroform, was not mentioned in the verdict, but her case, it is stated, will be presented to the grand jury for action. Brother Gillette was taken to Tampa, where he is held in jail without bond.

The Shaker colony at Ashton has been reduced to five since the death of Sister Marchant and the arrest of Brother Gillette. Under him as chief aide is Sister Sears. He is 60 years old and she 74.

No Need to Stop Work.

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DUNN NEWS NOTES.

New Train Schedule---Forming a Club. Belligerent Negroes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Dunn, N. C., Sept. 20.—The Durham & Southern ran its new train into town Monday morning. This train leaves Durham about 7 A. M., reaching Dunn about 11 o'clock. Returning it leaves Dunn about 3 in the afternoon, reaching Durham about 7. This train will be quite convenient for the towns of Duke, Coats and Angier as people from these towns can come to Dunn and take the A. C. L. going north or south, and will benefit the Dunn merchants, as their customers can have several hours in town between trains.

The business men and lawyers of Dunn have applied to the Secretary of State for a charter to form a club for the social, literary and industrial development of the town. This organization is to be known as Chicora Club, and will have as members all the business men of the town. Judging from the number who have signed the petition to organize the club, it seems that there will be quite a large membership. A committee has been appointed to secure a proper home for the club, and as soon as the organization is perfected steps will be taken to purchase furniture and fit up rooms for the use of the members.

Mr. H. C. McNeil, the popular cotton weigher for Dunn, reports that the amount of cotton weighed to date is far ahead of anything he has known since he has been a citizen. Hence we know that the receipts to date are unprecedented; he has weighed over 1,600 bales to date, which is about 600 bales ahead of any previous year.

The graded school opened Monday with Prof. Byrd P. Gentry and his corps of competent teachers in charge. The enrollment to date is a little behind last year, but this is accounted for by the new rules made by school committeemen in not allowing any child to attend unless they have a certificate from a physician that they have been successfully vaccinated within two years, and not allowing those who are not bona fide residents of the district to attend as heretofore.

Recorder Smith will be busy for some time settling with last Sunday's law breakers. It seems that the country negroes tried to shoot up the community. The convict force is working a few miles out of town, and since the purchase of a convict cage the prisoners are kept out in the country. One of the guards had some words with a bad negro a few days before. This negro loaded up on mean whiskey and made the camp a visit; he drove up to the camp and began cursing the guard, drew his pistol and threatened to shoot. But the guard was too quick for him and shot first, breaking the negro's arm and inflicting several other slight flesh wounds. Another crowd of darkies loaded up on some of the same brand and had a pitched battle with shotguns not far from town. No serious damage was done in this instance and so far only one of the guilty persons has been apprehended. He is now serving a term of six months on the county roads.

DICK GAUSE ESCAPES.

New Hanover Murderer Gets Imprisonment for Life.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 20.—Governor Kitchin had served on the warden of the penitentiary today an order staying the electrocution of Dick Gause, of New Hanover county, convicted in Pender county of the murder of Ed Gibson and under sentence to die in the electric chair Friday of this week. Gause was first sentenced to be electrocuted August 25th, and the Governor granted a respite to September 22nd, so that his counsel could have time to prepare their case for the fight for commutation. The Governor states his reasons for the commutation as follows:

"Although prisoner was convicted of murder in the first degree the evidence was of such doubtful character that the trial judge, the solicitor prosecuting and all 12 of the jury who tried the case are not satisfied with the result and have recommended that I commute the sentence to life imprisonment. Many officials and citizens join in this recommendation, and although notice of the application for commutation has been duly published no intimation against the commutation asked has reached me. In a case of this kind, I believe any doubt I may have should be resolevd in favor of human life and the unanimous wish of those charged with the enforcement of the law in the case.

SUPREME COURT OPINIONS.

Eleven Decisions in Cases on Appeal Handed Down.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 20.—Eleven opinions in cases on appeal from the first to the third districts were announced this evening by the Supreme Court, the list being as follows: Whitehurst vs. Norfolk & Southern Railroad Co., Pasquotank, reversed; Pool vs. Walker, Tyrrell, no error; Braddy vs. Dail, Beaufort, affirmed; Mann vs. Gibbs, Hyde, appeal dismissed; Bowser vs. Tarry, Halifax, new trial. State vs. Marable, Pitt, no error; In re guardianship Robert Dixon, Green reversed; Carson vs Bunting and Oil Co., Pitt, affirmed; Whitford vs North State Life Ins. Co., Craven, reversed; Debruhl vs Hood, Craven, no error; West vs Wilkinson, Pitt, no error.

CAMPAIGN IN CANADA ENDED

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have been apprehensive of the immediate results of reciprocity with the United States, if the agreement be ratified, but because they fear this would be but a start toward a general letting down of the tariff bars in Canada. The manufacturing interests have come out almost as a unit against the agreement and have been supported by banking and financial interests in considerable measure. Special appeals have ben made by the employers to their employes to vote against reciprocity.

The Liberal press, however, claims there have been just as many desertions from the Conservative ranks.

The campaign just ended has been even more stirring than that of 1878 when the late Sir John A. McDonald came into power with the Conservative party on a high tariff policy known as the "National policy." Never has party feeling run so high, never have the discussions been tinged with greater bitterness, never has so keen an interest been manifested by the people as a whole and never has these been so much real uncertainty in regard to the outcome.

Although the platform campaign practically ended with last night's meetings, both leaders, Laurier and Borden, made short addresses today. Both the premier and opposition leader, Borden are confident of the result in their favor. The weather bureau promises clear skies throughout Canada and it is expected that almost all of the voters will go to the polls. The polls open at 9 o'clock tomorrow and close at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The result of the election should be known at 10 o'clock at night.

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once childless, now happy and physically well, with healthy children, will tell how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made all this possible. Here are their names and correct addresses. Write them and learn for yourself. They are only a few out of thousands.

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"I am the mother of a twelve pound boy and he is strong and healthy."—Mrs. Mary Amundson, R.F.D. No.1, Box 60, Cadott, Wis.
"My baby is strong and healthy and I am well."—Mrs. B. M. Schorn, 1083 Woodbridge Street, St. Paul, Minn.
"Since my baby came we are a happy family."—Mrs. Benj. B. Stansbery, R. No. 6, Box 18, Upper Sandusky, Ohio.
"My health has been restored and I now have a big baby boy."—Mrs. Anna Anderson, Box 19, Black Duck, Minn.
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"I have a big, fat, healthy boy,"—Mrs. A. A. Balenger, R. F. D. No. 1, Baltimore, Ohio.
"I have one of the finest baby girls you ever saw."—Mrs. C. E. Goodwin, 915 S. 12th Street, Wilmington, N. C.
"We are at last blessed with a sweet little baby girl."—Mrs. G. A. Laperouse, Montegut, La.
"I have a lovely baby boy and you can tell every one that he is a 'Pinkham' baby."—Mrs. Louis Fischer, 32 Munroe St., Carlstadt, N. J.
"I have three children and took your Compound each time."—Mrs. John Howard, Wilmington, Vermont.
"My husband is the happiest man alive to-day."—Mrs. Clara Darbrake, 17 Mariemont St., Buffalo, N. Y.
"I have a fine strong baby daughter now."—Mrs. A. A. Gilles, Dewittville, N. Y., Route 44.
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"I owe my life and my baby's good health to your Compound."—Mrs. W. O. Spencer, R. F. D., No. 2, Troy, Alabama.
"Now I have a nice baby girl, the joy of our home."—Mrs. Dosylva Côté, 117 Southgate St., Worcester Mass.
"Am the mother of a twelve pound baby boy who is the picture of health."—Mrs. Flora Ahr, 1974 State Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.
"We have one of the finest baby boys."—Mrs. A. C. DaVault, Elmo, Mo.
"I owe the health of myself and three children to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. Alfred L. Gale, Box 89, McDonough, N. Y.
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GRAPES FOR PRESERVING — Fresh black James grapes, good for eating or preserving. Also white Scuppernong. Native beef, very good. Fancy celery; fresh carrots; apples cheap; fresh pork and sausage. Come in and see. Palace Market Co. 'Phone No. 72. se21-tf

FOURTEENTH SERIES of the Hanover Building and Loan Association will be opened on Saturday, Oct. 7th, 1911. Subscription books are now open at Wilder's Real Estate Office, 207 Princess street. This issue will be limited to five hundred shares. H. F. Wilder, Secretary and Treasurer. se21-tf

OPPORTUNITY to buy the most fertile soil and the best equipped farm in North Carolina. The "Chadwick Farm," mile and a half from city limits; complete irrigation plant, two hot houses for early truck; 102 acres of elegant farm land, crossed by railroad, for sale at reasonable figure and easy terms. For full particulars and information, see J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate Agents. se21-3t

IMPOUNDED—Three white goats at my place, Demonstration Farm, on Wrightsville. Same can be recovered by paying for advertisement. J. G. Seitter, 'phone 438-I. se21-1t*

WANTED—Cottage or vacant lot at Wrightsville Beach. State price and location. P. O. Box 295, City. se21-1t

SAY BOYS! SAY BOYS! They have just arrived—forty head of as good horses and mules as you ever saw in Wilmington. The right kind at the right price. Call and see them. 116 North Second street. F. T. Mills, Manager. se21-1t

WANTED—Room with board in private family, by young educated gentleman, out of town part of time. Address "CX," care Star. se21-1t*

SHIPPING CLERK WANTED—Apply to J. H. Rehder & Co. se21-1t

PONY AND BUGGY for sale. Combination buggy and saddle horse, 6 years old, guaranteed perfectly sound. The one you've seen on the streets of late. Address M. C. Barfield, 719 North 5th street. se21-2t*

BARGAIN, cash quick sale—Flanders-20 Roadster, now being thoroughly overhauled. Reason for selling, want larger car. Address "Flanders," care Star. se21-3t

WANTED—Reliable men to travel and collect for large Chicago house; $350 bond required. Address E. H. Eggleston, Augusta, Ga. se21-1t*

WANTED—From $5,000 to $20,000 for 5 years; A-1 security. Box 148, Charlotte, N. C. se21-3t*

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WANTED—Druggist partner with $1,500. Dr. Wilson, Stokes, N. C. se21-th,su-2t*

LOST—A Blue Belton setter; answers to the name of "Mack;" has name of T. D. Meares, Jr., on collar; liberal reward, if returned to 408 Market street. se21-1t

WANTED, HOUSE, with bath; not over $20 per month; not under 6 rooms; by Oct. 1st. Address "OCT. 1st," care Star. se2-2t

A FOUR-ROOM house and two acres of good land, under cultivation, in the incorporation of Chadbourn, N. C., for sale. The house and land can be bought for twelve hundred and fifty dollars. Write Rev. E. B. Carr, Atkinson, N. C. se20-6t*

THIS IS TO NOTIFY all my friends and customers that I have moved from 4th and Nun to 408 So. 4th street, Dan. Benton, 'Phone 1397. se20-2t

FOR RENT—Three large rooms, suitable for light housekeeping; all modern conveniences. Address "A. B.," care Star. se20-2t*

WANTED—Position by Oct. 10th, as shipping or billing clerk. Address, giving salary offered. Want permanent position. "J," care Star. se20-2t*

FARM FOR SALE—Containing 280 acres near Warsaw. 200 acres cleared; well improved; good eight-room house and outbuildings and tenant houses. Will sell cheap to quick buyer. C. D. Chambers, Warsaw, N. C. se20-5t*

FOR RENT—Store and floor above, No. 8 Grace street; cement floor, 132 feet deep. See M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate, 114 1-2 Princess street. se19-3t

FOR RENT—121 Market street, an established first-class boarding house of 17 rooms. Rent reasonable for location. M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate, 114 1-2 Princess street. se18-3t

WANTED—To buy a good farm mule; also wagon and harness. Apply to B. H. J. Ahrens. se17-6t

FOR SALE—The largest piece of wharf property in Wilmington on deep water. Also 2,000 feet opposite city, suitable for manufacturing sites. Very cheap. Address James L. Robertson, Wilmington, N. C. se16-6t*

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SECOND HAND square piano for sale. In good order. Cheap to cash purchaser. Address "Piano," care Star Office. se15-tf

WANTED AT ONCE—Experienced young lady to take charge of small up-town dry goods department. One who can use typewriter preferred. Address in own handwriting, giving references, age and salary expected. Permanent position. Address "Dry Goods," care Star. se15-6t

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WANTED—At once, or by the first of October at the latest, an eight- or nine-room house, centrally located and in a good neighborhood. Address P. O. Box 124. se14-6t

WANTED—Position by young lady of some experience, position as stenographer or bookkeeper. Address "E. L., care Star. se10-tf

PLANING MILL MAN wanted. One who can keep two or three machines going and furnish references. Wire at once when you can report. Enterprise Lumber Co., Mount Olive, N. C. se14-tf

NO. 512 NORTH THIRD for rent. Beautifully furnished house, suitable for select boarding house. See M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate, 114 1-2 Princess street. se19-3t

NOTICE—Plumbing; when it comes to plumbing, call 'phone No. 1132, as we know what to do if you need anything done put us next. D. L. T. Capps Co., J. B. Griffith, Mgr. au30-tf

ARE YOU GOING AWAY? See Uncle Charles for a good suit case or trunk. 16 S. Front st. "Yellow Building." my31-tf

TO THE PUBLIC—Uncle Charles' pawn shop has moved to 16 S. Front street; look for the yellow building. my31-tf

ATTENTION ELKS!

There will be a big initiation and social session of Wilmington Lodge No. 532, B. P. O. E., at the Elks' Temple, tonight. All members of the lodge and visiting brethren are cordially invited.

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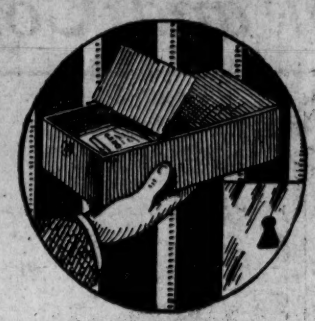
Having this day qualified as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of John F. Ruifs, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate of said Testator to present the same to me for payment, duly verified, on or before the 21st day of September, A. D., 1912, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

Dated this September 20th, 1911.

JOHN F. RUIFS, Jr.,
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of John F. Ruifs. se21-1uw6w



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